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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

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REGISTRATION STATEMENT
UNDER
THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Nevada

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

90-0273142

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

3920

(Primary Standard Industrial Classification Number)

500 Union Street, Suite 420, Seattle, Washington USA

(Address of principal executive offices)

98101

(Zip Code)

206-903-1351

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

N/A

(Former name, address, and fiscal year, if changed since last report)

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to public:
As soon as practicable after this Registration Statement is declared effective.

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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

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| Large accelerated filer | <input type="checkbox"/> | Accelerated filer | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Non-accelerated filer | <input type="checkbox"/> | Smaller reporting Company | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
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CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

| Title of Each Class of Securities to Be Registered | Proposed Maximum Aggregate Offering Price (1) | Amount of Registration Fee (2) |
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| Common Stock, par value, \$.001 per share (3) | \$ 10,000,000 | \$ 1,162 |
| Warrants to purchase Common Stock (4) | | |
| Common Stock underlying Warrants (4) | | |
| Representative's Warrants to purchase Common Stock (4) | | |
| Common Stock underlying Representative's Warrants (4) | | |
| Total | \$ 10,000,000 | \$ 1,162 |

- (1) Estimated solely for the purpose of calculating the registration fee pursuant to Rule 457(o) under the Securities Act. Includes shares of common stock and warrants to purchase shares of common stock that may be sold pursuant to the exercise of a 45-day option the underwriters to cover over-allotments, if any.
- (2) Calculated pursuant to Rule 457(o) based on an estimate of the proposed maximum aggregate offering price.
- (3) Pursuant to Rule 416 under the Securities Act, the shares of common stock registered hereby also include an indeterminate number of additional shares of common stock as may from time to time become issuable by reason of stock splits, stock dividends, recapitalizations or other similar transactions.
- (4) No registration fee pursuant to Rule 457(g) under the Securities Act.

THE REGISTRANT HEREBY AMENDS THIS REGISTRATION STATEMENT ON SUCH DATE OR DATES AS MAY BE NECESSARY TO DELAY ITS EFFECTIVE DATE UNTIL THE REGISTRANT SHALL FILE A FURTHER AMENDMENT WHICH SPECIFICALLY STATES THAT THIS REGISTRATION STATEMENT SHALL THEREAFTER BECOME EFFECTIVE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 8(A) OF THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933 OR UNTIL THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE ON SUCH DATE AS THE COMMISSION, ACTING PURSUANT TO SAID SECTION 8(A), MAY DETERMINE.

THE INFORMATION IN THIS PROSPECTUS IS NOT COMPLETE AND MAY BE CHANGED. WE MAY NOT SELL THESE SECURITIES UNTIL THE REGISTRATION STATEMENT FILED WITH THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION IS EFFECTIVE. THIS PROSPECTUS IS NOT AN OFFER TO SELL THESE SECURITIES AND IT IS NOT SOLICITING AN OFFER TO BUY THESE SECURITIES IN ANY STATE WHERE THE OFFER OR SALE IS NOT PERMITTED.

SUBJECT TO COMPLETION, DATED APRIL 24, 2015

PRELIMINARY PROSPECTUS

SHARES OF COMMON STOCK AND
WARRANTS TO PURCHASE _____ SHARES OF COMMON STOCK



Visualant, Incorporated

We are offering _____ shares of our common stock, \$0.001 par value per share, together with warrants, exercisable for one share of common stock, to purchase _____ shares of our common stock.

Our common stock is quoted on the OTCQB Marketplace, operated by OTC Markets Group, under the symbol "VSUL". We have applied for listing of our common stock and the warrants to be sold in this offering on The NASDAQ Capital Market under the symbols "VSUL" and "VSULW", respectively. No assurance can be given that our application will be approved. On April 21, 2015, the last reported sale price for our common stock on the OTCQB Marketplace was \$0.07 per share. We intend to complete a reverse stock split of our outstanding common stock prior to the completion of this offering. The warrant, option, share and per share information in this prospectus does not give effect to the proposed reverse split.

INVESTING IN OUR SECURITIES INVOLVES A HIGH DEGREE OF RISK. SEE THE SECTION ENTITLED "RISK FACTORS" BEGINNING ON PAGE 8 IN THIS PROSPECTUS. YOU SHOULD CAREFULLY CONSIDER THESE RISK FACTORS, AS WELL AS THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS PROSPECTUS, BEFORE YOU INVEST.

NEITHER THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION NOR ANY STATE SECURITIES COMMISSION HAS APPROVED OR DISAPPROVED OF THESE SECURITIES OR DETERMINED IF THIS PROSPECTUS IS TRUTHFUL OR COMPLETE. ANY REPRESENTATION TO THE CONTRARY IS A CRIMINAL OFFENSE.

| | Per Share (1) | Per Warrant (1) | Total |
|--|---------------|-----------------|-------|
| Public offering price | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| Underwriting discounts and commissions (2) | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| Proceeds, before expenses, to us (3) | \$ | \$ | \$ |

(1) One share of common stock is being sold together with a warrant, with each warrant being exercisable for the purchase of one share of common stock.

(2) We have agreed to issue warrants to the underwriters and to reimburse the underwriters for certain expenses. See "Underwriting" on page 73 of this prospectus for a description of these arrangements.

(3) Does not include any proceeds from the exercise of warrants, if any. We estimate the total expenses of this offering will be approximately \$_____.

The underwriters expect to deliver our securities, against payment, on or about _____, 2015.

We have granted the underwriters a 45-day option to purchase up to _____ additional shares of common stock and/or additional warrants to purchase up to _____ additional shares of common stock from us at the offering price for each security, less underwriting discounts and commissions, to cover over-allotments, if any.

Sole Book Running Manager

Maxim Group LLC

Co-Manager

The Benchmark Company, LLC

The date of this prospectus is _____, 2015

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You should rely only on the information contained in this prospectus and any applicable prospectus supplement. We have not authorized anyone to provide you with different or additional information. If anyone provides you with different or inconsistent information, you should not rely on it. The information contained in this prospectus is accurate only as of the date of this prospectus, regardless of the time of delivery of this prospectus or any sale of securities described in this prospectus. This prospectus is not an offer to sell these securities and it is not soliciting an offer to buy these securities in any jurisdiction where the offer or sale is not permitted. You should assume that the information appearing in this prospectus or any prospectus supplement, as well as information we have previously filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, is accurate as of the date on the front of those documents only. Our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects may have changed since those dates.

For investors outside the United States: neither we nor the underwriters have done anything that would permit this offering or possession or distribution of this prospectus or any free writing prospectus we may provide to you in connection with this offering in any jurisdiction where action for that purpose is required, other than in the United States. You are required to inform yourselves about and to observe any restrictions relating to this offering and the distribution of this prospectus and any such free writing prospectus outside of the United States.

Unless otherwise indicated, information contained in this prospectus concerning our industry and the markets in which we operate, including our general expectations and market position, market opportunity and market share, is based on information from our own management estimates and research, as well as from industry and general publications and research, surveys and studies conducted by third parties. Management estimates are derived from publicly available information, our knowledge of our industry and assumptions based on such information and knowledge, which we believe to be reasonable. Our management estimates have not been verified by any independent source, and we have not independently verified any third-party information. In addition, assumptions and estimates of our and our industry's future performance are necessarily subject to a high degree of uncertainty and risk due to a variety of factors, including those described in "Risk Factors". These and other factors could cause our future performance to differ materially from our assumptions and estimates. See "Special Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements".

Our trademarks Visualant™ and ChromaID™ are used throughout this prospectus. This prospectus also includes trademarks, trade names and service marks that are the property of other organizations. Solely for convenience, trademarks and trade names referred to in this prospectus appear without the ® and ™ symbols, but those references are not intended to indicate, in any way, that we will not assert, to the fullest extent under applicable law, our rights or that the applicable owner will not assert its rights, to these trademarks and trade names.

PROSPECTUS SUMMARY

This summary highlights information contained elsewhere in this prospectus. This summary does not contain all of the information you should consider before investing in our common stock. You should read this entire prospectus carefully, especially the "Risk Factors" section of this prospectus and our financial statements and the related notes appearing at the end of this prospectus, before making an investment decision.

As used in this prospectus, unless the context otherwise requires, references to "we," "us," "our," "our company" and "Visualant" refer to Visualant, Incorporated and our wholly owned subsidiary TransTech Systems, Inc., unless the context otherwise requires.

On April __, 2015, our Board of Directors approved, subject to stockholder approval, a reverse split of our common stock, in a ratio to be determined by our Board of Directors, of not less than 1-for-50 nor more than 1-for-150. We intend to effectuate the reverse split of our common stock in a ratio to be determined by our Board of Directors prior to consummation of this offering. The warrant, option, share and per share information in this prospectus does not give effect to the proposed reverse stock split.

Overview

Our Company

We are focused primarily on the development of a proprietary technology which is capable of uniquely identifying and authenticating almost any substance using light to create, record and detect the unique digital “signature” of the substance. We call this our “ChromaID™” technology.

Our ChromaID™ Technology

We have developed a proprietary technology to uniquely identify and authenticate almost any substance. This patented technology utilizes light at the photon (elementary particle of light) level through a series of emitters and detectors to generate a unique signature or “fingerprint” from a scan of almost any solid, liquid or gaseous material. This signature of reflected or transmitted light is digitized, creating a unique ChromaID signature. Each ChromaID signature is comprised of hundreds or thousands of specific data points.

The ChromaID technology looks beyond visible light frequencies to areas of near infra-red and ultraviolet light that are outside the humanly visible light spectrum. The data obtained allows us to create a very specific and unique ChromaID signature of the substance for a myriad of authentication and verification applications.

Traditional light-based identification technology, called spectrophotometry, has relied upon a complex system of prisms, mirrors and visible light. Spectrophotometers typically have a higher cost and utilize a form factor more suited to a laboratory setting and require trained laboratory personnel to interpret the information. The ChromaID technology uses lower cost LEDs and photodiodes and specific frequencies of light resulting in a more accurate, portable and easy-to-use solution for a wide variety of applications. The ChromaID technology not only has significant cost advantages as compared to spectrophotometry, it is also completely flexible in size, shape and configuration. The ChromaID scan head can range in size from endoscopic to a scale that could be the size of a large ceiling-mounted florescent light fixture.

In normal operation, a ChromaID master or reference scan is generated and stored in a database. The Visualant scan head can then scan similar materials to identify, authenticate or diagnose them by comparing the new ChromaID digital signature scan to that of the original or reference ChromaID signature or scan result.

ChromaID was invented by leading scientists from the University of Washington under contract with Visualant. We have pursued an aggressive intellectual property strategy and have been granted seven patents. We also have 22 patents pending. We possess all right, title and interest to the issued patents. Ten of the pending patents are licensed exclusively to us in perpetuity by our strategic partner, Intellectual Ventures, through its subsidiary Invention Development Management Company, or IDMC.

In 2010, we acquired TransTech Systems, Inc. as an adjunct to our business. TransTech is a distributor of products for employee and personnel identification. TransTech currently provides substantially all of our revenues. We intend, however, to use the majority of the proceeds of this offering to further develop and market our ChromaID technology.

The following summarizes our plans for our proprietary ChromaID technology. Based on our anticipated expenditures on this technology, the expected efforts of our management and our relationship with Intellectual Ventures and its subsidiary, IDMC, and our other strategic partner, Sumitomo Precision Products, we expect our ChromaID technology to provide an increasing portion of our revenues in future years from product sales, licenses, royalties and other revenue streams.

IDMC Relationship

In November 2013, we entered into a strategic relationship with IDMC, a subsidiary of Intellectual Ventures, a private intellectual property fund with over \$5 billion under management. Intellectual Ventures owns over 40,000 IP assets and has broad global relationships for the invention of technology, the filing of patents and the licensing of intellectual property. IDMC has worked to expand the reach and the potential application of the ChromaID technology and has filed ten patents base on the ChromaID technology, which it has licensed to us. In connection with IDMC's work to expand our intellectual property portfolio, we agreed to curtail outbound marketing activities of our technology through the third fiscal quarter of 2014.

Initial testing in our laboratories and the work of the IDMC team has shown that the ChromaID technology has a number of broad and useful applications, some of which include:

- Milk identification for quality, protein and fat content and impurities
- Identification of liquids for counterfeits or contaminants
- Detecting adulterants in food and food products compromising its quality
- Color grading of diamonds
- Identifying real cosmetics versus counterfeit cosmetics
- Identifying counterfeit medications versus real medications
- Identifying regular flour versus gluten-free flour
- Authenticating secure identification cards

Products

Our first delivered product, the ChromaID Lab Kit, scans and identifies solid surfaces. In the fourth fiscal quarter of 2014, we began marketing this product to customers who are considering licensing the technology. Target markets include commercial paint manufacturers, pharmaceutical equipment manufacturers, process control companies, currency paper and ink manufacturers, security card businesses, cosmetic companies, scanner manufactures and food processing companies.

Our second product, the ChromaID Liquid Lab Kit, scans and identifies liquids. This product is currently in prototype form. Similar to our first product, it will be marketed to customers who are considering licensing the technology. Rather than use an LED emitter to reflect light off of a surface that is captured by a photodiode to generate a ChromaID signature, the liquid analysis product uses a "transmissive" process by shining a light through the liquid, with the LEDs positioned on one side of the liquid sample and the photo detectors on the opposite side. This device is in a functional state in our laboratory and we anticipate having a Liquid ChromaID Lab Kit available for customers by our fourth fiscal quarter ending September 30, 2015. Target markets include water companies, petrochemical companies, pharmaceutical companies, and numerous consumer applications.

The ChromaID Lab Kits allows potential licensors of the ChromaID technology to work with our technology and develop solutions for their particular application.

Our Commercialization Plans for the ChromaID Technology

We shipped our first ChromaID product, the ChromaID Lab Kits, to our strategic partner IDMC during the last calendar quarter of 2013 and first calendar quarter of 2014, after we completed final assembly and testing. As part of our agreement with IDMC, we curtailed our ChromaID marketing efforts through the fourth calendar quarter of 2014 while IDMC worked to expand our intellectual property portfolio. Thereafter we have begun to actively market the ChromaID Lab Kits to interested and qualified customers. To date, we have achieved limited revenue from the sale of our ChromaID Lab Kits.

The Lab Kit includes the following:

ChromaID Scanner. A small device made with electronic and optical components and firmware, which pulses light onto a flat material and records and digitizes the light that is reflected back from that material. The current device is about the size of a typical flashlight (5.5” long and 1.25” diameter). However, the technology can be incorporated into almost size, shape or configuration.

ChromaID Lab Software. A software application that runs on a Windows PC. The software allows for configuration of the scanner, controls the behavior of the ChromaID Scanner, displays a graph of the captured ChromaID signature profile, stores the ChromaID signature in a database and uses algorithms to compare the accuracy of the match of the unknown scan to the known ChromaID signature profile.

Software Development Toolkit. A collection of software applications, API (an abbreviation of application program interface – a set of routines, protocols, and tools for building software applications) definitions and file descriptions that allow a customer to extract the raw data from the ChromaID signatures and run their own software routines against that raw data.

The ChromaID Lab Kit allows customers to experiment with and evaluate the ChromaID technology and determine if it is appropriate for their specific applications. The primary electronic and optical parts of the ChromaID scanner, called the “scan head,” could be supplied to customers to integrate into their own products. A set of ChromaID Developer Tools is also available. These allow customers to develop their own products based on the ChromaID technology.

Based on the commercialization plans outlined above, our business model anticipates deriving revenue from several sources:

- Sales of the ChromaID Lab Kit and ChromaID Liquid Lab Kit
- Non Recurring Engineering (NRE) fees to assist customers with ChromaID scanner integration into their products
- Licensing of the ChromaID technology
- Royalties per unit generated from the sales of scan heads
- Per click transaction revenue from accessing the unique ChromaID signatures
- Developing custom product applications for customers
- ChromaID database administration and management services

Our Acceleration of Business Development in the United States and Around the World

We are coordinating our business development, sales and marketing efforts with those of our strategic partners IDMC and Sumitomo Precision Products, to leverage market data and information in order to focus on specific target vertical markets which have the greatest potential for early adoption. The ChromaID Lab Kit provides a means for us to demonstrate the technology to customers in these markets. It also allows customers to experiment with developing unique applications for their particular use case. Our Business Development team is pursuing license opportunities with customers in our target markets.

There are no requirements for FDA or other government approvals for the current applications of our ChromaID technology. Over time, as we explore the applications of our ChromaID technology for medical diagnostics and other applications, we expect there will be requirements for FDA and other government approvals before applications using the technology in medical and other regulated fields can enter the marketplace.

Research and Development

Our research and development efforts are primarily focused on improving the core foundational ChromaID technology and developing new and unique applications for the technology. As part of this effort, we typically conduct testing to ensure that ChromaID application methods are compatible with the customer's requirements, and that they can be implemented in a cost effective manner. We are also actively involved in identifying new application methods. Our team has considerable experience working with the application of light-based technologies and their application to various industries. Our research and development efforts are supported internally, through our relationship with IDMC and through contractors led by Dr. Tom Furness of the University of Washington and his team at RATLab LLC.

TransTech Systems, Inc.

Our wholly owned subsidiary, TransTech Systems, Inc. ("TransTech"), is a distributor of products, including systems solutions, components and consumables, for employee and personnel identification in government and the private sector, document authentication, access control, and radio frequency identification. TransTech provides these products and services, along with marketing and business development assistance to value-added resellers and system integrators throughout North America.

We expect our ownership of TransTech to accelerate our market entry and penetration through well-operated and positioned dealers of security and authentication systems, thus creating a natural distribution channel for products featuring our proprietary ChromaID technology. TransTech currently provides substantially all of our revenues. Its management team functions independently from Visualant's and its operations require a minimal commitment of our management time and other resources.

Agreements with Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd.

In May 2012, we entered into a Joint Research and Product Development Agreement (the "Joint Development Agreement") with Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd., a publicly-traded Japanese corporation, for the commercialization of our ChromaID technology. In March 2013, we entered into an amendment to this agreement, which extended the Joint Development Agreement from March 31, 2013 to December 31, 2013. The extension provided for continuing work between Sumitomo and Visualant focused on advancing the ChromaID technology and market research aimed at identifying the most significant markets for the ChromaID technology. This agreement expired December 31, 2013. This collaborative work supported the development of the ChromaID Lab Kit. The current version of the technology was introduced to the marketplace as a part of our ChromaID Lab Kit during the fourth quarter of 2013. We also entered into a License Agreement with Sumitomo in May 2012 which provides for an exclusive license for the then-extant ChromaID technology. The territories covered by this license include Japan, China, Taiwan, Korea and the entirety of Southeast Asia (Burma, Indonesia, Thailand, Cambodia, Laos, Vietnam, Singapore and the Philippines).

Risks That We Face

Our business is subject to a number of risks of which you should be aware before making an investment decision. We are exposed to various risks related to our business and financial position (specifically our need for additional financing), this offering, our common stock and our proposed reverse stock split. These risks are discussed more fully in the "Risk Factors" section of this prospectus beginning on page 8.

Corporate Information

We were incorporated under the laws of the State of Nevada on October 8, 1998. Our executive offices are located at 500 Union Street, Suite 420, Seattle, WA 98101. Our telephone number is (206) 903-1351 and our principal website address is located at www.visualant.net. The information contained on, or that can be accessed through, our website is not incorporated into and is not a part of this prospectus. You should not rely on our website or any such information in making your decision whether to purchase our common stock.

SUMMARY OF THE OFFERING

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| Securities offered: | _____ shares of our common stock together with warrants to purchase _____ shares of our common stock at an exercise price of \$ _____ per share. The warrants will be immediately exercisable and will expire __ months after the issuance date. |
| Common stock outstanding before the offering (1): | 169,793,664 shares |
| Common stock to be outstanding after this offering (2): | _____ shares |
| Over-allotment option | The Underwriting Agreement provides that we will grant to the underwriters an option, exercisable within 45 days after the closing of this offering, to acquire up to an additional 15% of the total number of common stock and/or warrants to be offered by us pursuant to this offering, solely for the purpose of covering over-allotments. |
| Representative's Warrants: | The Underwriting Agreement provides that we will issue to the representative share purchase warrants covering a number of shares of common stock equal to 8% of the total number of shares being sold in the offering, including the over-allotments, if any. |
| Use of proceeds | We expect to receive net proceeds from this offering of approximately \$ _____ million after deducting the underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses. We intend to use the net proceeds from this offering for general corporate purposes, including development of our ChromaID™ technology, investment in the TransTech business, repayment of approximately \$828,000 of certain loans and advances to Ronald P. Erickson (or entities with which he is affiliated) and repayment of a \$200,000 business loan from a commercial bank, which is guaranteed by an entity affiliated with Mr. Erickson, as described in "Transactions with Related Parties" and "Use of Proceeds". |
| Risk Factors | You should read the "Risk Factors" section starting on page 8 of this prospectus for a discussion of factors to consider carefully before deciding to invest in shares of our common stock. |
| OTCQB Symbol | VSUL |
| Listing and Proposed Symbol: | We have applied for listing of our common stock and warrants offered hereby on the NASDAQ Capital Market under the symbols "VSUL" and "VSULW," respectively. |
| Reverse Split: | On April __, 2015, our Board of Directors approved, subject to stockholder approval, a reverse split of our common stock, in a ratio to be determined by our Board of Directors, of not less than 1-for-50 nor more than 1-for-150. We intend to effectuate the reverse split of our common stock in a ratio to be determined by our Board of Directors prior to consummation of this offering. The warrant, option, share and per share information in this prospectus does not give effect to the proposed reverse stock split. |

- (1) The number of shares of our common stock outstanding after this offering is based on 169,793,664 shares of our common stock outstanding as of April 21, 2015, and excludes:

- 10,865,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options outstanding as of April 21, 2015 at a weighted-average exercise price of \$0.119 per share;
 - 3,500,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the conversion of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock as of April 21, 2015;
 - 134,955,286 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of warrants outstanding as of April 21, 2015 at a weighted-average exercise price of \$0.179 per share;
 - Up to 5,230,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of placement agent warrants exercisable at \$0.15 per share. These placement agent warrants will be issued only upon the exercise of the Series A Warrants, and are issuable ratably based upon the number of Warrants exercised;
 - _____ shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of warrants registered in this offering, at an exercise price of \$_____ per share;
 - _____ shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of warrants issued to the underwriters in this offering, at an exercise price of \$_____ per share;
 - 885,000 additional shares of our common stock available for future issuance as of April 21, 2015 under our 2011 Stock Incentive Plan; and
 - _____ shares of our common stock issuable upon exercise of the underwriters' option to purchase additional shares of our common stock to cover over-allotments.
- (2) The total number of shares of our common stock outstanding after this offering is based on 169,793,664 shares outstanding as of April 21, 2015. Except as otherwise indicated herein, all information in this prospectus does not take into account the effect of the proposed reverse stock split described above, and assumes:
- No exercise by the underwriters of their option to purchase additional shares of our common stock to cover over-allotments, if any;
 - No exercise of the outstanding options or warrants described above;
 - No exercise of the warrants offered hereby; and
 - No exercise of the underwriters' warrants.

Summary Financial Information

The following tables set forth a summary of our historical financial data as of, and for the period ended on, the dates indicated. We have derived the statements of operations data for the years ended September 30, 2014 and 2013 from our audited financial statements included in this prospectus. We have derived the statements of operations data for the three months ended December 31, 2014 and balance sheet data as of December 31, 2014 from our unaudited financial statements appearing elsewhere in this prospectus. The unaudited financial statements have been prepared on a basis consistent with our audited financial statements included in this prospectus and, in the opinion of management, reflect all adjustments, consisting only of normal recurring adjustments, necessary to fairly state our financial position as of December 31, 2014 and results of operations for the three months ended December 31, 2014. Historical results for any prior period are not necessarily indicative of results to be expected in any future period. You should read the following summary financial data together with our financial statements and the related notes appearing at the end of this prospectus and the "Capitalization" and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" sections in this prospectus.

Statements of Operations Data:

(in thousands, except for share and per share data)

| | Three Months Ended December 31, 2014 (Unaudited) | Years Ended September 30, | | | | |
|--|--|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| | | 2014 (Audited) | 2013 (Audited) | 2012 (Audited) | 2011 (Audited) | 2010 (Audited) |
| STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS DATA: | | | | | | |
| Net revenue | \$ 1,843 | \$ 7,983 | \$ 8,573 | \$ 7,924 | \$ 9,136 | \$ 2,543 |
| Cost of goods sold | 1,545 | 6,694 | 6,717 | 6,344 | 7,570 | 2,095 |
| Gross profit | 298 | 1,289 | 1,856 | 1,580 | 1,566 | 448 |
| Research and development expenses | 119 | 670 | 1,169 | 177 | 134 | 91 |
| General and administrative expenses | 653 | 3,180 | 4,581 | 3,625 | 3,691 | 1,378 |
| Operating (loss) | (474) | (2,561) | (3,894) | (2,222) | (2,259) | (1,021) |
| Other expense | (2,682) | 1,538 | (2,741) | (533) | (146) | (134) |
| Net profit (loss) | (3,156) | (1,023) | \$ (6,635) | \$ (2,755) | \$ (2,405) | \$ (1,155) |
| Income taxes current benefit | 1 | (6) | \$ (30) | \$ (29) | \$ (9) | \$ (8) |
| Net profit (loss) | (3,157) | (1,017) | (6,605) | (2,726) | (2,396) | (1,147) |
| Noncontrolling interest | - | - | \$ 17 | \$ 6 | \$ 14 | \$ 2 |
| Net profit (loss) attributable to Visualant, Inc. and Subsidiaries common shareholders | \$ (3,157) | \$ (1,017) | \$ (6,622) | \$ (2,732) | \$ (2,410) | \$ (1,149) |
| Net (loss) per share | \$ (0.02) | \$ (0.01) | \$ (0.05) | \$ (0.04) | \$ (0.06) | \$ (0.04) |
| Weighted average number of shares | 168,168,294 | 166,344,657 | 122,934,436 | 65,557,376 | 42,682,795 | 30,728,036 |

Balance Sheet Data:

(in thousands)

| | As of December 31, 2014 (Unaudited) | As Adjusted 12/31/2014 (1) |
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| BALANCE SHEET DATA: | | |
| Total current assets | \$ 1,463 | |
| Total assets | 3,225 | |
| Total current liabilities | 9,468 | |
| Total current liabilities without derivative liabilities | 4,238 | |
| Total liabilities | 9,468 | |
| Stockholder's (deficiency) | (6,243) | |

(1) As adjusted amounts give effect to the issuance and sale of _____ shares of common stock and related warrants by us in this offering at an assumed public offering price of \$ _____ per share and related warrants and the application of the net proceeds of the offering, after deducting underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us, as set forth under "Use of Proceeds". See "Use of Proceeds" and "Capitalization."

RISK FACTORS

Investing in our common stock involves a high degree of risk. You should carefully consider the risks and uncertainties described below, together with all of the other information contained in this prospectus, including our financial statements and the related notes appearing at the end of this prospectus, before deciding to invest in our common stock. If any of the following risks actually occur, our business, prospects, operating results and financial condition could suffer materially, the trading price of our common stock could decline and you could lose all or part of your investment.

Risks Relating to the Commercialization of Our Products

We may not be able to generate sufficient revenue from the commercialization of our ChromaID technology and related products to achieve or sustain profitability.

We are in the process of commercializing our ChromaID™ technology. To date, we have entered into one License Agreement with Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd. and have a strategic relationship with IDMC. Failure to sell our ChromaID products, grant additional licenses and obtain royalties or develop other revenue streams will have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

We believe that our commercialization success is dependent upon our ability to significantly increase the number of customers that are using our products. To date, we have generated minimal revenue from sales of our ChromaID products. In addition, demand for our ChromaID products may not increase as quickly as planned and we may be unable to increase our revenue levels as expected. We are currently not profitable. Even if we succeed in introducing the ChromaID technology and related products to our target markets, we may not be able to generate sufficient revenue to achieve or sustain profitability.

We are in the early stages of commercialization and our ChromaID technology and related products may never achieve significant commercial market acceptance.

Our success depends on our ability to develop and market products that are recognized as accurate and cost-effective. Many of our potential customers may be reluctant to use our new technology. Market acceptance will depend on many factors, including our ability to convince potential customers that our ChromaID technology and related products are an attractive alternative to existing light-based technologies. We will need to demonstrate that our products provide accurate and cost-effective alternatives to existing light-based authentication technologies. Compared to most competing technologies, our technology is relatively new, and most potential customers have limited knowledge of, or experience with, our products. Prior to implementing our ChromaID technology and related products, potential customers are required to devote significant time and effort to testing and validating our products. In addition, during the implementation phase, customers may be required to devote significant time and effort to training their personnel on appropriate practices to ensure accurate results from our technology and products. Any failure of our ChromaID technology or related products to meet customer expectations could result in customers choosing to retain their existing testing methods or to adopt systems other than ours.

Many factors influence the perception of a system including its use by leaders in the industry. If we are unable to induce industry leaders in our target markets to implement and use our ChromaID technology and related products, acceptance and adoption of our products could be slowed. In addition, if our products fail to gain significant acceptance in the marketplace and we are unable to expand our customer base, we may never generate sufficient revenue to achieve or sustain profitability.

We may be unable to manage our future growth effectively, which could make it difficult to execute our business strategy.

We commenced our formal commercial launch in the fourth fiscal quarter of 2014 and anticipate growth in our business operations. Since our inception in 1998, we have increased our number of employees to 17 as of September 30, 2014 and we expect to increase our number of employees further as our business grows. This future growth could create strain on our organizational, administrative and operational infrastructure, including quality control, customer service and sales and marketing. Our ability to manage our growth properly will require us to continue to improve our operational, financial, and management controls, as well as our reporting systems and procedures. If our current infrastructure is unable to handle our growth, we may need to expand our infrastructure and staff and implement new reporting systems. The time and resources required to implement such expansion and systems could adversely affect our operations. Our expected future growth will impose significant added responsibilities on members of management, including the need to identify, recruit, maintain, and integrate additional employees. Our future financial performance and our ability to commercialize our products and to compete effectively will depend, in part, on our ability to manage this potential future growth effectively, without compromising quality.

Risks Relating to our Business and Financial Condition

We have a history of operating losses and there can be no assurance that we can achieve or maintain profitability.

We have experienced net losses since inception. As of December 31, 2014, we had an accumulated deficit of \$24.7 million and net losses in the amount of \$3,157,000 and \$846,000 for fiscal years 2013 and 2014, respectively. There can be no assurance that we will achieve or maintain profitability. If we achieve profitability in the future, we may not be able to sustain profitability in subsequent periods. Failure to become and remain profitable would impair our ability to sustain operations and adversely affect the price of our common stock and our ability to raise capital. Our operating expenses may increase as we spend resources on growing our business, and if our revenue does not correspondingly increase, our operating results and financial condition will suffer. Our ChromaID business has produced limited revenues, and may not produce significant revenues in the near term, or at all, which would harm our ability to continue our operations or obtain additional financing and require us to reduce or discontinue our operations. You must consider our business and prospects in light of the risks and difficulties we will encounter as business with an early-stage technology in a new and rapidly evolving industry. We may not be able to successfully address these risks and difficulties, which could significantly harm our business, operating results and financial condition.

We need additional financing to support our technology development and ongoing operations, pay our debts and maintain ownership of our intellectual properties.

We are currently operating at a loss. We believe that our cash on hand will be sufficient to fund our operations through at least the end of July 2015. We need the proceeds of this offering, and additional financing, to implement our business plan and to service our ongoing operations, pay our current debts (described below) and maintain ownership of our intellectual property. There can be no assurance that we will be able to secure any needed funding, or that if such funding is available, the terms or conditions would be acceptable to us. If we are unable to obtain additional financing when it is needed, we will need to restructure our operations and/or divest all or a portion of our business. We may seek additional capital through a combination of private and public equity offerings, debt financings and strategic collaborations. Debt financing, if obtained, may involve agreements that include covenants limiting or restricting our ability to take specific actions, such as incurring additional debt, and could increase our expenses and require that our assets secure such debt. Equity financing, if obtained, could result in dilution to our then-existing stockholders and/or require such stockholders to waive certain rights and preferences. If such financing is not available on satisfactory terms, or is not available at all, we may be required to delay, scale back or eliminate the development of business opportunities and our operations and financial condition may be materially adversely affected.

Our services and license agreement with Invention Development Management, LLC is important to our business strategy and operations.

In November 2013, we entered into a Services and License Agreement with IDMC. IDMC is affiliated with Intellectual Ventures, which collaborates with inventors, partners with companies and invests both expertise and capital in the process of invention. This agreement was amended in November 2014 to license ten patents filed by IDMC related to the ChromaID technology to us.

The amended agreement with IDMC covers a number of areas that are important to our operations, including the following:

- The agreement requires IDMC to identify and engage inventors to develop new applications of our ChromaID technology, present the developments to us for approval, and file at least ten patent applications to protect the developments;

- We received a worldwide, nontransferable, exclusive license to the licensed intellectual property developed under this agreement within the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use;
- We received a nonexclusive and nontransferable option to acquire a worldwide, nontransferable, nonexclusive license to intellectual property held by IDMC within that same field of use; and
- We granted to IDMC certain licenses to our intellectual property outside the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use

Failure to operate in accordance with the IDMC agreement, or an early termination or cancellation of this agreement for any reason, would have a material adverse effect on ability to execute our business strategy and on our results of operations and business.

We need to continue as a going concern if our business is to succeed.

Because of our recurring losses and negative cash flows from operations, the audit report of our independent registered public accountants on our consolidated financial statements for the year ended September 30, 2014 contains an explanatory paragraph stating that there is substantial doubt about our ability to continue as a going concern. Factors identified in the report include our historical net losses, negative working capital, and the need for additional financing to implement our business plan and service our debt repayments. If we are not able to attain profitability in the near future our financial condition could deteriorate further, which would have a material adverse impact on our business and prospects and result in a significant or complete loss of your investment. Further, we may be unable to pay our debt obligations as they become due, which include obligations to secured creditors. If we are unable to continue as a going concern, we might have to liquidate our assets and the values we receive for our assets in liquidation or dissolution could be significantly lower than the values reflected in our financial statements. Additionally, we are subject to customary operational covenants, including limitations on our ability to incur liens or additional debt, pay dividends, redeem stock, make specified investments and engage in merger, consolidation or asset sale transactions, among other restrictions. In addition, the inclusion of an explanatory paragraph regarding substantial doubt about our ability to continue as a going concern and our lack of cash resources may materially adversely affect our share price and our ability to raise new capital or to enter into critical contractual relations with third parties.

We have obligations to repay approximately \$1,692,000 in various loans in the near future, and if we do not satisfy these obligations, the lenders may have the right to demand payment in full or exercise other remedies.

We have a \$200,000 Business Loan Agreement with Umpqua Bank (the “Umpqua Loan”), which currently matures on December 31, 2015 and provides for interest at 3.25% per year. The cash from the Umpqua Loan was received on January 14, 2014. Related to the Umpqua Loan, we entered into a demand promissory note for \$200,000 on January 10, 2014 with an entity with which Ronald P. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer, is affiliated. This demand promissory note will be effective in case of a default by us under the Umpqua Loan.

We also have two other demand promissory note payable to entities with which Mr. Erickson is affiliated, totaling \$600,000. Each of these notes were issued between January and July 2014, provide for interest of 3% per year and currently mature on June 30, 2015. They also provide for a second lien on our assets if not repaid by June 30, 2015 or converted into convertible debentures or equity on terms acceptable to the Mr. Erickson. In addition, entities with which Mr. Erickson is affiliated have advanced approximately \$492,000. Mr. Erickson and/or entities with which he is affiliated also have unreimbursed expenses and compensation of approximately \$236,000. As a result, we currently owe Mr. Erickson approximately \$1, 328,000. Of this amount, we anticipate that \$828,000 will be repaid from the proceeds of this offering and that the remaining \$500,000 will be converted into shares of our common stock upon the closing of this offering at the public offering price for a share of common stock and issued to Mr. Erickson or entities affiliated with Mr. Erickson.

We also have a convertible note payable to KBM Worldwide, Inc. totaling \$64,000 (the “KBM Note”) to fund short-term working capital. The KBM Note accrues interest at a rate of 8% per annum and becomes due on October 27, 2015 and is convertible into common stock on July 26, 2015.

We require the proceeds of this offering, and possibly additional financing, to service and/or repay these debt obligations. If we raise additional capital through borrowing or other debt financing, we may incur substantial interest expense. If and when we raise more equity capital in the future, it will result in substantial dilution to our current stockholders.

Our management has concluded that we have material weaknesses in our internal controls over financial reporting and that our disclosure controls and procedures are not effective.

A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over financial reporting, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of a company's annual or interim financial statements will not be prevented or detected on a timely basis. During the review of our financial statements for the three months ended December 31, 2014, our management identified material weaknesses in our internal control over financial reporting. If these weaknesses continue, investors could lose confidence in the accuracy and completeness of our financial reports and other disclosures.

In addition, our management has concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were not effective due to the lack of an audit committee "financial expert." These material weaknesses, if not remediated, create an increased risk of misstatement of the Company's financial results, which, if material, may require future restatement thereof. A failure to implement improved internal controls, or difficulties encountered in their implementation or execution, could cause future delays in our reporting obligations and could have a negative effect on us and the trading price of our common stock.

If the company were to dissolve or wind-up, holders of our common stock would not receive a liquidation preference.

If we were to wind-up or dissolve our company and liquidate and distribute our assets, our common stockholders would share in our assets only after we satisfy any amounts we owe to our creditors and preferred equity holders. If our liquidation or dissolution were attributable to our inability to profitably operate our business, then it is likely that we would have material liabilities at the time of liquidation or dissolution. Accordingly, it is very unlikely that sufficient assets will remain available after the payment of our creditors and preferred equity holders to enable you to receive any liquidation distribution with respect to any common stock you hold.

If components used in our finished products become unavailable, or third-party manufacturers otherwise experience delays, we may incur delays in shipment to our customers, which would damage our business.

We depend on third-party suppliers for substantially all of our components and products. We purchase these products and components from third-party suppliers that serve the advanced lighting systems market and we believe that alternative sources of supply are readily available for most products and components. However, consolidation could result in one or more current suppliers being acquired by a competitor, rendering us unable to continue purchasing necessary amounts of key components at competitive prices. In addition, for certain of our customized components, arrangements for additional or replacement suppliers will take time and result in delays. We purchase products and components pursuant to purchase orders placed from time to time in the ordinary course of business. This means we are vulnerable to unanticipated price increases and product shortages. Any interruption or delay in the supply of components and products, or our inability to obtain components and products from alternate sources at acceptable prices in a timely manner, could harm our business, financial condition and results of operations.

While we believe alternative manufacturers for these products are available, we have selected these particular manufacturers based on their ability to consistently produce these products per our specifications ensuring the best quality product at the most cost effective price. We depend on our third-party manufacturers to satisfy performance and quality specifications and to dedicate sufficient production capacity within scheduled delivery times. Accordingly, the loss of all or one of these manufacturers or delays in obtaining shipments could have a material adverse effect on our operations until such time as an alternative manufacturer could be found.

We are dependent on key personnel.

Our success depends to a significant degree upon the continued contributions of key management and other personnel, some of whom could be difficult to replace, including Ronald P. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer. We do not maintain key person life insurance covering any of our officers. Our success will depend on the performance of our officers, our ability to retain and motivate our officers, our ability to integrate new officers into our operations, and the ability of all personnel to work together effectively as a team. Our officers do not currently have employment agreements. Our failure to retain and recruit officers and other key personnel could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations. Our success also depends on our continued ability to identify, attract, hire, train, retain and motivate highly skilled technical, managerial, manufacturing, administrative and sales and marketing personnel. Competition for these individuals is intense, and we may not be able to successfully recruit, assimilate or retain sufficiently qualified personnel. In particular, we may encounter difficulties in recruiting and retaining a sufficient number of qualified technical personnel, which could harm our ability to develop new products and adversely impact our relationships with existing and future customers. The inability to attract and retain necessary technical, managerial, manufacturing, administrative and sales and marketing personnel could harm our ability to obtain new customers and develop new products and could adversely affect our business and operating results.

We have limited insurance which may not cover claims by third parties against us or our officers and directors

We have limited directors' and officers' liability insurance and commercial liability insurance policies. Claims by third parties against us may exceed policy amounts and we may not have amounts to cover these claims. Any significant claims would have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations. In addition, our limited directors' and officers' liability insurance may affect our ability to attract and retain directors and officers.

Our inability to effectively protect our intellectual property would adversely affect our ability to compete effectively, our revenue, our financial condition and our results of operations.

We rely on a combination of patent, trademark, and trade secret laws, confidentiality procedures and licensing arrangements to protect our intellectual property rights. Obtaining and maintaining a strong patent position is important to our business. Patent law relating to the scope of claims in the technology fields in which we operate is complex and uncertain, so we cannot be assured that we will be able to obtain or maintain patent rights, or that the patent rights we may obtain will be valuable, provide an effective barrier to competitors or otherwise provide competitive advantages. Others have filed, and in the future are likely to file, patent applications that are similar or identical to ours or those of our licensors. To determine the priority of inventions, or demonstrate that we did not derive our invention from another, we may have to participate in interference or derivation proceedings in the USPTO or in court that could result in substantial costs in legal fees and could substantially affect the scope of our patent protection. We cannot be assured our patent applications will prevail over those filed by others. Also, our intellectual property rights may be subject to other challenges by third parties. Patents we obtain could be challenged in litigation or in administrative proceedings such as *ex parte* reexam, *inter partes* review, or post grant review in the United States or opposition proceedings in Europe or other jurisdictions.

There can be no assurance that:

- any of our existing patents will continue to be held valid, if challenged;
- patents will be issued for any of our pending applications;
- any claims allowed from existing or pending patents will have sufficient scope or strength to protect us;
- our patents will be issued in the primary countries where our products are sold in order to protect our rights and potential commercial advantage; or
- any of our products or technologies will not infringe on the patents of other companies.

If we are enjoined from selling our products, or if we are required to develop new technologies or pay significant monetary damages or are required to make substantial royalty payments, our business and results of operations would be harmed.

Obtaining and maintaining a patent portfolio entails significant expense and resources. Part of the expense includes periodic maintenance fees, renewal fees, annuity fees, various other governmental fees on patents and/or applications due in several stages over the lifetime of patents and/or applications, as well as the cost associated with complying with numerous procedural provisions during the patent application process. We may or may not choose to pursue or maintain protection for particular inventions. In addition, there are situations in which failure to make certain payments or noncompliance with certain requirements in the patent process can result in abandonment or lapse of a patent or patent application, resulting in partial or complete loss of patent rights in the relevant jurisdiction. If we choose to forgo patent protection or allow a patent application or patent to lapse purposefully or inadvertently, our competitive position could suffer.

Legal actions to enforce our patent rights can be expensive and may involve the diversion of significant management time. In addition, these legal actions could be unsuccessful and could also result in the invalidation of our patents or a finding that they are unenforceable. We may or may not choose to pursue litigation or interferences against those that have infringed on our patents, or used them without authorization, due to the associated expense and time commitment of monitoring these activities. If we fail to protect or to enforce our intellectual property rights successfully, our competitive position could suffer, which could have a material adverse effect on our results of operations and business.

Claims by others that our products infringe their patents or other intellectual property rights could prevent us from manufacturing and selling some of our products or require us to pay royalties or incur substantial costs from litigation or development of non-infringing technology.

In recent years, there has been significant litigation in the United States involving patents and other intellectual property rights. We may receive notices that claim we have infringed upon the intellectual property of others. Even if these claims are not valid, they could subject us to significant costs. Any such claims, with or without merit, could be time-consuming to defend, result in costly litigation, divert our attention and resources, cause product shipment delays or require us to enter into royalty or licensing agreements. Such royalty or licensing agreements, if required, may not be available on terms acceptable to us or at all. We have engaged in litigation and litigation may be necessary in the future to enforce our intellectual property rights or to determine the validity and scope of the proprietary rights of others. Litigation may also be necessary to defend against claims of infringement or invalidity by others. A successful claim of intellectual property infringement against us and our failure or inability to license the infringed technology or develop or license technology with comparable functionality could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and operating results.

Our TransTech vendor base is concentrated.

Evolis, Fargo, Ultra Electronics - Magcard Division and NiSCA, are major vendors of TransTech whose products account for approximately 70% of TransTech's revenue. TransTech buys, packages and distributes products from these vendors after issuing purchase orders. Any loss of any of these vendors would have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

We currently have a very small sales and marketing organization. If we are unable to secure a sales and marketing partner or establish satisfactory sales and marketing capabilities, we may not be able to successfully commercialize our ChromaID technology.

We currently have one full-time sales and business development manager for the ChromaID technology. This individual oversees sales of our products and IP licensing and manages critical customer and partner relationships. In addition, he manages and coordinates the business development resources at our strategic partners IDMC and Sumitomo Precision Products as they relate to our ChromaID technology. We also work with third party entities that are focused in specific market verticals where they have business relationships that can be leveraged. Our subsidiary, TransTech Systems, has six sales and marketing employees on staff to support the ongoing sales efforts of that business. In order to commercialize products that are approved for commercial sales, we sell directly to our customers, collaborate with third parties that have such commercial infrastructure and work with our strategic business partners to generate sales. If we are not successful entering into appropriate collaboration arrangements, or recruiting sales and marketing personnel or in building a sales and marketing infrastructure, we will have difficulty successfully commercializing our ChromaID technology, which would adversely affect our business, operating results and financial condition.

We may not be able to enter into collaboration agreements on terms acceptable to us or at all. In addition, even if we enter into such relationships, we may have limited or no control over the sales, marketing and distribution activities of these third parties. Our future revenues may depend heavily on the success of the efforts of these third parties. If we elect to establish a sales and marketing infrastructure we may not realize a positive return on this investment. In addition, we will have to compete with established and well-funded pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies to recruit, hire, train and retain sales and marketing personnel. Factors that may inhibit our efforts to commercialize ChromaID without strategic partners or licensees include:

- our inability to recruit and retain adequate numbers of effective sales and marketing personnel;
- the lack of complementary products to be offered by sales personnel, which may put us at a competitive disadvantage relative to companies with more extensive product lines; and
- unforeseen costs and expenses associated with creating an independent sales and marketing organization.

Government regulatory approval may be necessary before some of our products can be sold and there is no assurance such approval will be granted.

Although we do not need regulatory approval for our current applications, our ChromaID technology may have a number of potential applications in fields of use which will require prior governmental regulatory approval before the technology can be introduced to the marketplace. For example, we are exploring the use of our ChromaID technology for certain medical diagnostic applications. There is no assurance that we will be successful in developing medical applications for our ChromaID technology. If we were to be successful in developing medical applications of our technology, prior approval by the FDA and other governmental regulatory bodies may be required before the technology could be introduced into the marketplace. There is no assurance that such regulatory approval would be obtained for a medical diagnostic or other applications requiring such approval.

We may engage in acquisitions, mergers, strategic alliances, joint ventures and divestitures that could result in final results that are different than expected

In the normal course of business, we engage in discussions relating to possible acquisitions, equity investments, mergers, strategic alliances, joint ventures and divestitures. Such transactions are accompanied by a number of risks, including the use of significant amounts of cash, potentially dilutive issuances of equity securities, incurrence of debt on potentially unfavorable terms as well as impairment expenses related to goodwill and amortization expenses related to other intangible assets, the possibility that we may pay too much cash or issue too many of our shares as the purchase price for an acquisition relative to the economic benefits that we ultimately derive from such acquisition, and various potential difficulties involved in integrating acquired businesses into our operations.

From time to time, we have also engaged in discussions with candidates regarding the potential acquisitions of our product lines, technologies and businesses. If a divestiture such as this does occur, we cannot be certain that our business, operating results and financial condition will not be materially and adversely affected. A successful divestiture depends on various factors, including our ability to effectively transfer liabilities, contracts, facilities and employees to any purchaser; identify and separate the intellectual property to be divested from the intellectual property that we wish to retain; reduce fixed costs previously associated with the divested assets or business; and collect the proceeds from any divestitures.

If we do not realize the expected benefits of any acquisition or divestiture transaction, our financial position, results of operations, cash flows and stock price could be negatively impacted.

Our growth strategy depends in part on our ability to execute successful strategic acquisitions. We have made strategic acquisitions in the past and may do so in the future, and if the acquired companies do not perform as expected, this could adversely affect our operating results, financial condition and existing business.

We may continue to expand our business through strategic acquisitions. The success of any acquisition will depend on, among other things:

- the availability of suitable candidates;
- higher than anticipated acquisition costs and expenses;
- competition from other companies for the purchase of available candidates;
- our ability to value those candidates accurately and negotiate favorable terms for those acquisitions;
- the availability of funds to finance acquisitions and obtaining any consents necessary under our credit facility;
- the ability to establish new informational, operational and financial systems to meet the needs of our business;
- the ability to achieve anticipated synergies, including with respect to complementary products or services; and
- the availability of management resources to oversee the integration and operation of the acquired businesses.

We may not be successful in effectively integrating acquired businesses and completing acquisitions in the future. We also may incur substantial expenses and devote significant management time and resources in seeking to complete acquisitions. Acquired businesses may fail to meet our performance expectations. If we do not achieve the anticipated benefits of an acquisition as rapidly as expected, or at all, investors or analysts may not perceive the same benefits of the acquisition as we do. If these risks materialize, our stock price could be materially adversely affected.

We are subject to corporate governance and internal control requirements, and our costs related to compliance with, or our failure to comply with existing and future requirements could adversely affect our business.

We must comply with corporate governance requirements under the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 and the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act of 2010, as well as additional rules and regulations currently in place and that may be subsequently adopted by the SEC and the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board. These laws, rules, and regulations continue to evolve and may become increasingly stringent in the future. The financial cost of compliance with these laws, rules, and regulations is expected to remain substantial.

Our management has concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were not effective due to the lack of an audit committee “financial expert.”

Effective upon our listing on The NASDAQ Capital Market, we will appoint an additional independent director to serve as Audit Committee Chairman. This director will be an “audit committee financial expert” as defined by the SEC. However, we cannot assure you that we will be able to fully comply with these laws, rules, and regulations that address corporate governance, internal control reporting, and similar matters in the future. Failure to comply with these laws, rules and regulations could materially adversely affect our reputation, financial condition, and the value of our securities.

Risks Related to this Offering

The sale of a significant number of our shares of common stock could depress the price of our common stock.

Sales or issuances of a large number of shares of common stock in the public market or the perception that sales may occur could cause the market price of our common stock to decline. As of April 21, 2015, there were approximately 169.8 million shares of our common stock issued and outstanding, outstanding stock options grants for the purchase of 10.9 million shares of common stock at a \$0.119 average exercise price and outstanding warrants for the purchase of 135.0 million shares of common stock at a \$0.179 average exercise price. In addition, there are _____ shares of common stock available for issuance upon exercise of the warrants registered in this offering, which includes _____ shares of common stock available for issuance upon exercise of the warrants being offered to the underwriters. We may be obligated to issue up to 5.2 million additional placement agent warrants which have the potential to add additional shares to the total number of shares of common stock issued and outstanding.

In addition, there are 3,500,000 shares of common stock reserved for issuance upon conversion of Series A Convertible Preferred stock and an unknown number of shares related to the conversion of \$64,000 in Convertible Promissory Notes due to KBM Worldwide, Inc. The Convertible Promissory Note due to KBM is convertible on July 26, 2015.

Significant shares of common stock are held by our principal stockholders, other company insiders and other large stockholders. As “affiliates” of Visualant, as defined under Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 144 under the Securities Act of 1933, our principal stockholders, other of our insiders and other large stockholders may only sell their shares of common stock in the public market pursuant to an effective registration statement or in compliance with Rule 144.

These options, warrants and convertible preferred stock could result in further dilution to common stock holders and may affect the market price of the common stock.

The Capital Source credit facility contains covenants that may limit our flexibility in operating our business and failure to comply with any of these covenants could have a material adverse effect on our business.

In December 8, 2009, we entered into the Capital Source credit facility. These Capital Source credit facility contains covenants that limit our ability to engage in specified types of transactions. These covenants limit our ability to, among other things:

- sell, transfer, lease or dispose of certain assets;
- engage in certain mergers and consolidations;
- incur debt or encumber or permit liens on certain assets, except in the limited circumstances permitted under the loan and security agreements;
- make certain restricted payments, including paying dividends on, or repurchasing or making distributions with respect to, our common stock; and
- enter into certain transactions with affiliates.

A breach of any of the covenants under the Capital Source credit facility could result in a default under the Capital Source credit facility. Upon the occurrence of an event of default under the Capital Source credit facility, the lenders could elect to declare all amounts outstanding to be immediately due and payable and terminate all commitments to extend further credit. If we are unable to repay those amounts, the lenders could proceed against the collateral granted to them to secure such indebtedness.

The exercise prices of the IDMC warrant and Series A, B, C and D warrants may require adjustment.

In connection with the Special Situations transaction, in June 2013 we issued Series A Warrants to purchase a total of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$0.15 per share, and Series B Warrants to purchase a total of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share, the IDMC warrant to purchase 14.5 million shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share, Series C Warrants to purchase 3,500,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share and Series D Warrants to purchase 3,500,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$0.30 per share (collectively, the “Special Situations Warrants”). The Special Situations Warrants contain an adjustment provision that would require an adjustment in the exercise price of the Special Situations Warrants if we issue common stock, warrants or equity below the price that is reflected in the Special Situations Warrants. If the per share price in this offering is below these exercise prices, or if we issue any additional shares of common stock, warrants or other equity securities at a price below the exercise prices of the Special Situations Warrants, it would result in a reduction in the exercise price of the Special Situations Warrants. Upon exercise of the Special Situations Warrants, we would receive substantially less capital to fund our operations. A downward adjustment in the exercise price of the Special Situations Warrants could also affect the market price of the common stock.

The exercise prices of the IDMC warrant and Series A, B, C and D warrants described above will be adjusted if we issue common stock, warrants or equity below the exercise price that is reflected in the warrant exercise prices above. If the per share price of our common stock in this offering is below the exercise prices of our outstanding warrants, or if we issue any additional shares of common stock, warrants or other equity securities at a price below the exercise prices of our outstanding warrants, it would result in a reduction in the exercise price of the outstanding warrants. If such reduction in the exercise price of the outstanding warrants occurred, upon exercise of these warrants, we would receive substantially less capital to fund our operations. A downward adjustment in the exercise price of our outstanding warrants could also affect the market price of our common stock.

We have broad discretion in the use of the net proceeds from this offering. We may not use these proceeds effectively, which could affect our results of operations and cause our stock price to decline.

Our management will have broad discretion in the application of the net proceeds from this offering, including for any of the purposes described in the section entitled “Use of Proceeds” section and could spend the proceeds in ways that do not improve our results of operations or enhance the value of our common stock. The failure by our management to apply these funds effectively could result in financial losses that could have a material adverse effect on our business, cause the price of our common stock to decline and delay the development of our ChromaID technology. Pending their use, we may invest the net proceeds from this offering in a manner that does not produce income or that loses value.

You will experience immediate and substantial dilution as a result of this offering and may experience additional dilution in the future.

You will incur immediate and substantial dilution as a result of this offering. After giving effect to the sale by us of up to _____ shares of common stock in this offering at an assumed public offering price of \$ _____ per share which is based on the closing price of our common stock on _____, 2015, and after deducting the underwriters’ discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us, investors in this offering can expect an immediate dilution of \$ _____ per share of common stock.

Risks Relating to Our Stock

Trading in our stock may be limited in the future by the SEC’s penny stock regulations.

Although our stock currently does not meet the definition of a “penny stock” due to an increase in our revenues for past two years, in the recent past our stock was categorized as a penny stock and it is possible that our stock may become a penny stock again in the future. The SEC has adopted Rule 15c-9 which generally defines “penny stock” to be any equity security that has a market price (as defined) less than US\$ 5.00 per share or an exercise price of less than US\$ 5.00 per share, subject to certain exclusions (e.g., net tangible assets in excess of \$2,000,000 or average revenue of at least \$6,000,000 for the last three years). If our securities were to become a penny stock in the future, they would be covered by the penny stock rules, which impose additional sales practice requirements on broker-dealers who sell to persons other than established customers and accredited investors. The penny stock rules require a broker-dealer, prior to a transaction in a penny stock not otherwise exempt from the rules, to deliver a standardized risk disclosure document in a form prepared by the SEC which provides information about penny stocks and the nature and level of risks in the penny stock market. The broker-dealer also must provide the customer with current bid and offer quotations for the penny stock, the compensation of the broker-dealer and its salesperson in the transaction, and monthly account statements showing the market value of each penny stock held in the customer’s account. The bid and offer quotations, and the broker-dealer and salesperson compensation information, must be given to the customer orally or in writing prior to effecting the transaction and must be given to the customer in writing before or with the customer’s confirmation. In addition, the penny stock rules require that prior to a transaction in a penny stock not otherwise exempt from these rules, the broker-dealer must make a special written determination that the penny stock is a suitable investment for the purchaser and receive the purchaser’s written agreement to the transaction. Finally, broker-dealers may not handle penny stocks under \$0.10 per share.

These disclosure requirements reduce the level of trading activity in the secondary market for the stock that is subject to these penny stock rules. Consequently, these penny stock rules would affect the ability of broker-dealers to trade our securities if we become subject to them in the future. The penny stock rules also could discourage investor interest in and limit the marketability of our common stock to future investors, resulting in limited ability for investors to sell their shares.

The price of our common stock is volatile, which may cause investment losses for our stockholders

The market price of our common stock has been and is likely in the future to be volatile. Our common stock price may fluctuate in response to factors such as:

- Announcements by us regarding liquidity, significant acquisitions, equity investments and divestitures, strategic relationships, addition or loss of significant customers and contracts, capital expenditure commitments and litigation;
- Issuance of convertible or equity securities and related warrants for general or merger and acquisition purposes;
- Issuance or repayment of debt, accounts payable or convertible debt for general or merger and acquisition purposes;
- Sale of a significant number of shares of our common stock by stockholders;
- General market and economic conditions;
- Quarterly variations in our operating results;
- Investor and public relation activities;
- Announcements of technological innovations;
- New product introductions by us or our competitors;
- Competitive activities; and
- Additions or departures of key personnel.

These broad market and industry factors may have a material adverse effect on the market price of our common stock, regardless of our actual operating performance. These factors could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations

FINRA sales practice requirements may also limit a stockholder's ability to buy and sale our stock

In addition to the "penny stock" rules described above, FINRA has adopted rules that require that in recommending an investment to a customer, a broker-dealer must have reasonable grounds for believing that the investment is suitable for that customer. Prior to recommending speculative low priced securities to their non-institutional customers, broker-dealers must make reasonable efforts to obtain information about the customer's financial status, tax status, investment objectives and other information. Under interpretations of these rules, FINRA believes that there is a high probability that speculative low priced securities will not be suitable for at least some customers. The FINRA requirements make it more difficult for broker-dealers to recommend that their customers buy our common stock, which may limit your ability to buy and sell our stock and have an adverse effect on the market for our shares.

Transfers of our securities may be restricted by virtue of state securities "blue sky" laws, which prohibit trading absent compliance with individual state laws. These restrictions may make it difficult or impossible to sell shares in those states.

Transfers of our common stock may be restricted under the securities or securities regulations laws promulgated by various states and foreign jurisdictions, commonly referred to as "blue sky" laws. Absent compliance with such individual state laws, our common stock may not be traded in such jurisdictions. Because the securities held by many of our stockholders have not been registered for resale under the blue sky laws of any state, the holders of such shares and persons who desire to purchase them should be aware that there may be significant state blue sky law restrictions upon the ability of investors to sell the securities and of purchasers to purchase the securities. These restrictions may prohibit the secondary trading of our common stock. Investors should consider the secondary market for our securities to be a limited one.

Future issuance of additional shares of common stock and/or preferred stock could dilute existing stockholders. We have and may issue preferred stock that could have rights that are preferential to the rights of common stock that could discourage potentially beneficially transactions to our common stockholders.

Pursuant to our certificate of incorporation, we currently have authorized 500,000,000 shares of common stock and 50,000,000 shares of preferred stock. To the extent that common shares are available for issuance, subject to compliance with applicable stock exchange listing rules, our board of directors has the ability to issue additional shares of common stock in the future for such consideration as the board of directors may consider sufficient. The issuance of any additional securities could, among other things, result in substantial dilution of the percentage ownership of our stockholders at the time of issuance, result in substantial dilution of our earnings per share and adversely affect the prevailing market price for our common stock.

An issuance of additional shares of preferred stock could result in a class of outstanding securities that would have preferences with respect to voting rights and dividends and in liquidation over our common stock and could, upon conversion or otherwise, have all of the rights of our common stock. Our Board of Directors' authority to issue preferred stock could discourage potential takeover attempts or could delay or prevent a change in control through merger, tender offer, proxy contest or otherwise by making these attempts more difficult or costly to achieve. The issuance of preferred stock could impair the voting, dividend and liquidation rights of common stockholders without their approval.

Future capital raises may dilute our existing stockholders' ownership and/or have other adverse effects on our operations.

If we raise additional capital by issuing equity securities, our existing stockholders' percentage ownership will be reduced and these stockholders may experience substantial dilution. We may also issue equity securities that provide for rights, preferences and privileges senior to those of our common stock. If we raise additional funds by issuing debt securities, these debt securities would have rights senior to those of our common stock and the terms of the debt securities issued could impose significant restrictions on our operations, including liens on our assets. If we raise additional funds through collaborations and licensing arrangements, we may be required to relinquish some rights to our technologies or candidate products, or to grant licenses on terms that are not favorable to us.

We do not anticipate paying any cash dividends on our capital stock in the foreseeable future.

We have never declared or paid cash dividends on our capital stock. We currently intend to retain all of our future earnings, if any, to finance the growth and development of our business, and we do not anticipate paying any cash dividends on our capital stock in the foreseeable future. In addition, the terms of any future debt agreements may preclude us from paying dividends. As a result, capital appreciation, if any, of our common stock will be your sole source of gain for the foreseeable future.

Anti-takeover provisions may limit the ability of another party to acquire our company, which could cause our stock price to decline.

Our certificate of incorporation, as amended, our bylaws and Nevada law contain provisions that could discourage, delay or prevent a third party from acquiring our company, even if doing so may be beneficial to our stockholders. In addition, these provisions could limit the price investors would be willing to pay in the future for shares of our common stock.

Our articles of incorporation allow for our board to create new series of preferred stock without further approval by our stockholders, which could adversely affect the rights of the holders of our common stock; our Series A Preferred Stock contains provisions that restrict our ability to take certain actions without the consent of at least 66% of the Series A Preferred Stock then outstanding.

Our Board of Directors has the authority to fix and determine the relative rights and preferences of preferred stock. Our Board of Directors also has the authority to issue preferred stock without further stockholder approval. As a result, our Board of Directors could authorize the issuance of a series of preferred stock that would grant to holders the preferred right to our assets upon liquidation, the right to receive dividend payments before dividends are distributed to the holders of common stock and the right to the redemption of the shares, together with a premium, prior to the redemption of our common stock. In addition, our Board of Directors could authorize the issuance of a series of preferred stock that has greater voting power than our common stock or that is convertible into our common stock, which could decrease the relative voting power of our common stock or result in dilution to our existing stockholders.

In addition, our articles of incorporation restrict our ability to take certain actions without the approval of at least 66% of the Series A Preferred Stock then outstanding. These actions include, among other things;

- authorizing, creating, designating, establishing or issuing an increased number of shares of Series A Preferred Stock or any other class or series of capital stock ranking senior to or on a parity with the Series A Preferred Stock;
- adopting a plan for the liquidation, dissolution or winding up the affairs of our company or any recapitalization plan (whether by merger, consolidation or otherwise);
- amending, altering or repealing, whether by merger, consolidation or otherwise, our articles of incorporation or bylaws in a manner that would adversely affect any right, preference, privilege or voting power of the Series A Preferred Stock; and
- declaring or paying any dividend (with certain exceptions) or directly or indirectly purchase, redeem, repurchase or otherwise acquire any shares of our capital stock, stock options or convertible securities (with certain exceptions).

Risks Associated with Our Proposed Reverse Stock Split

*On April __, 2015, our Board of Directors approved, subject to stockholder approval, a reverse split of our common stock, in a ratio to be determined by our Board of Directors, of not less than 1-for-50 nor more than 1-for-150. We intend to effectuate the reverse split of our common stock in a ratio to be determined by our Board of Directors prior to consummation of this offering. **However, the reverse stock split may not result in a proportionate increase in the price of our common stock, in which case we may not be able to list our common stock and the warrants sold in this offering on The NASDAQ Capital Market, in which case this offering will not be completed.***

We expect that the proposed reverse stock split of our outstanding common stock will increase the market price of our common stock so that we will be able to meet the minimum bid price requirement of the listing rules of The NASDAQ Capital Market. However, the effect of a reverse stock split upon the market price of our common stock cannot be predicted with certainty, and the results of reverse stock splits by companies in similar circumstances have been varied. It is possible that the market price of our common stock following the reverse stock split will not increase sufficiently for us to be in compliance with the minimum bid price requirement. If we are unable to meet the minimum bid price requirement, we may be unable to list our shares on The NASDAQ Capital Market, in which case this offering will not be completed.

Even if the proposed reverse stock split achieves the requisite increase in the market price of our common stock, we cannot assure you that we will be able to continue to comply with the minimum bid price requirement of The NASDAQ Capital Market.

Even if the proposed reverse stock split achieves the requisite increase in the market price of our common stock to be in compliance with the minimum bid price of The NASDAQ Capital Market, there can be no assurance that the market price of our common stock following the reverse stock split will remain at the level required for continuing compliance with that requirement. It is not uncommon for the market price of a company's common stock to decline in the period following a reverse stock split. If the market price of our common stock declines following the effectuation of the reverse stock split, the percentage decline may be greater than would occur in the absence of a reverse stock split. In any event, other factors unrelated to the number of shares of our common stock outstanding, such as negative financial or operational results, could adversely affect the market price of our common stock and jeopardize our ability to meet or maintain The NASDAQ Capital Market's minimum bid price requirement.

Even if the proposed reverse stock split increases the market price of our common stock, there can be no assurance that we will be able to comply with other continued listing standards of The NASDAQ Capital Market.

Even if the market price of our common stock increases sufficiently so that we comply with the minimum bid price requirement, we cannot assure you that we will be able to comply with the other standards that we are required to meet in order to maintain a listing of our common stock and/or warrants sold in this offering on The NASDAQ Capital Market. Our failure to meet these requirements may result in our common stock and/or warrants sold in this offering being delisted from The NASDAQ Capital Market, irrespective of our compliance with the minimum bid price requirement.

The proposed reverse stock split may decrease the liquidity of the shares of our common stock.

The liquidity of the shares of our common stock may be affected adversely by the proposed reverse stock split given the reduced number of shares that will be outstanding following the reverse stock split, especially if the market price of our common stock does not increase as a result of the reverse stock split. In addition, the proposed reverse stock split may increase the number of stockholders who own odd lots (less than 100 shares) of our common stock, creating the potential for such stockholders to experience an increase in the cost of selling their shares and greater difficulty effecting such sales.

Following the proposed reverse stock split, the resulting market price of our common stock may not attract new investors, including institutional investors, and may not satisfy the investing requirements of those investors. Consequently, the trading liquidity of our common stock may not improve.

Although we believe that a higher market price of our common stock may help generate greater or broader investor interest, there can be no assurance that the proposed reverse stock split will result in a share price that will attract new investors, including institutional investors. In addition, there can be no assurance that the market price of our common stock will satisfy the investing requirements of those investors. As a result, the trading liquidity of our common stock may not necessarily improve.

SPECIAL NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This prospectus includes statements that are, or may be deemed, "forward-looking statements." In some cases, these forward-looking statements can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology, including the terms "believes", "estimates", "anticipates", "expects", "plans", "intends", "may", "could", "might", "will", "should", "approximately" or, in each case, their negative or other variations thereon or comparable terminology, although not all forward-looking statements contain these words. They appear in a number of places throughout this prospectus and include statements regarding our intentions, beliefs, projections, outlook, analyses or current expectations concerning, among other things, our ongoing and planned exploration activities, our results of operations, financial condition, liquidity, prospects, growth and strategies, the length of time that we will be able to continue to fund our operating expenses and capital expenditures, our expected financing needs and sources of financing, the industry in which we operate and the trends that may affect the industry or us.

By their nature, forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties because they relate to events, competitive dynamics, and rare earth element market developments and depend on the economic circumstances that may or may not occur in the future or may occur on longer or shorter timelines than anticipated. Although we believe that we have a reasonable basis for each forward-looking statement contained in this prospectus, we caution you that forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance and that our actual results of operations, financial condition and liquidity, and the development of the industry in which we operate may differ materially from the forward-looking statements contained in this prospectus. In addition, even if our results of operations, financial condition and liquidity, and the development of the industry in which we operate are consistent with the forward-looking statements contained in this prospectus, they may not be predictive of results or developments in future periods.

Any forward-looking statements that we make in this prospectus speak only as of the date of such statement, and we undertake no obligation to update such statements to reflect events or circumstances after the date of this prospectus.

You should also read carefully the factors described in the "Risk Factors" section of this prospectus to better understand the risks and uncertainties inherent in our business and underlying any forward-looking statements. As a result of these factors, we cannot assure you that the forward-looking statements in this prospectus will prove to be accurate. Furthermore, if our forward-looking statements prove to be inaccurate, the inaccuracy may be material. In light of the significant uncertainties in these forward-looking statements, you should not regard these statements as a representation or warranty by us or any other person that we will achieve our objectives and plans in any specified timeframe, or at all. We disclaim any obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statement as a result of new information, future events or for any other reason.

USE OF PROCEEDS

We estimate that the net proceeds from this offering will be approximately \$_____ million, based on the assumed offering price of \$_____ per share, the closing price of our common stock on the OTCQB Marketplace on _____, 2015, after deducting the underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us. If the underwriters exercise their option to purchase additional shares in full, we estimate that our net proceeds will be approximately \$_____ million, after deducting the underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us.

We intend to use the net proceeds from this offering for general corporate purposes, including development of our ChromaID™ technology, investment in the TransTech business and repayment of \$828,000 of certain loans and advances to Ronald P. Erickson (or entities with which he is affiliated) and repayment of a \$200,000 business loan from a commercial bank, which is guaranteed by an entity affiliated with Mr. Erickson, as described in "Transactions with Related Parties" and "Use of Proceeds". The commercial bank loan has a maturity date of December 31, 2015 and provides for interest of 2.79%, subject to adjustment annually

Pending the use of the net proceeds of this offering, we intend to invest the net proceeds in short-term investment-grade, interest-bearing securities.

We may also increase or decrease the number of shares we are offering. An increase (decrease) of 1,000,000 shares in the number of shares we are offering would increase (decrease) our net proceeds by approximately \$_____ million, after deducting the estimated underwriting discount and estimated offering expenses payable by us.

Each \$1.00 increase (decrease) in the assumed public offering price of \$_____ per share would increase (decrease) our net proceeds by approximately \$_____ million, after deducting the estimated underwriting discount and estimated offering expenses payable by us.

PRICE RANGE OF OUR COMMON STOCK

Our common stock is currently quoted on the OTCQB under the symbol "VSUL". We have applied for listing of our common stock and warrants on The NASDAQ Capital Market under the symbols "VSUL" and "VSULW", respectively. No assurance can be given that our application will be approved. The following table sets forth the range of the high and low sale prices of the common stock for the periods indicated. The quotations reflect inter-dealer prices, without retail markup, markdown or commission, and may not represent actual transactions. Consequently, the information provided below may not be indicative of our common stock price under different conditions.

Trades in our common stock may be subject to Rule 15c-9 of the Exchange Act, which imposes requirements on broker/dealers who sell securities subject to the rule to persons other than established customers and accredited investors. For transactions covered by the rule, broker/dealers must make a special suitability determination for purchasers of the securities and receive the purchaser's written agreement to the transaction before the sale.

| Period Ended | High | Low |
|---------------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Year Ending September 30, 2015 | | |
| December 31, 2014 | \$ 0.12 | \$ 0.05 |
| March 31, 2015 | \$ 0.09 | \$ 0.05 |
| Year Ending September 30, 2014 | | |
| September 30, 2014 | \$ 0.09 | \$ 0.06 |
| June 30, 2014 | \$ 0.10 | \$ 0.06 |
| March 31, 2014 | \$ 0.11 | \$ 0.07 |
| December 31, 2013 | \$ 0.13 | \$ 0.06 |
| Year Ended September 30, 2013 | | |
| September 30, 2013 | \$ 0.10 | \$ 0.06 |
| June 30, 2013 | \$ 0.15 | \$ 0.08 |
| March 31, 2013 | \$ 0.15 | \$ 0.07 |
| December 31, 2012 | \$ 0.20 | \$ 0.08 |

As of April 21, 2015, the high and low sales price of our common stock was \$0.07 per share and \$0.07 per share, respectively. As of April 21, 2015, there were 169,793,664 shares of common stock outstanding held by approximately 119 stockholders of record. This number does not include beneficial owners whose shares are held in the names of various security brokers, dealers and registered clearing agencies.

DIVIDEND POLICY

We have never declared or paid any cash dividends on our common stock and intend, for the foreseeable future, to retain any future earnings to finance the growth and development of our business. Our future dividend policy will be determined by our Board of Directors on the basis of various factors, including our results of operations, financial condition, capital requirements and investment opportunities.

CAPITALIZATION

The following table sets forth our cash and cash equivalents and capitalization as of December 31, 2014:

- on an actual basis;
- on a pro forma basis to reflect our receipt of the net proceeds from the sale by us of _____ shares of common stock at a purchase price of \$ _____ per share, after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us, and the subsequent exchange of 3,500,000 shares of common stock for 3,500,000 shares of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock, each share of which is convertible into one share of our common stock (subject to adjustment in the event of stock splits, recapitalization and other similar events affecting our common stock); and
- on a pro forma as adjusted basis to give effect to our receipt of net proceeds of approximately \$ _____ million from the sale of shares of the common stock we are offering at the assumed public offering price of \$ _____ per share (which was the last reported sale price per share of our common stock on The NASDAQ Capital Market on _____) after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us.

You should read this table together with the sections entitled "Summary Financial Data" and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" and our financial statements and the related notes included elsewhere in this prospectus.

In thousands, except for share and per share data

| | December 31, 2014 | | Pro Forma As Adjusted (Unaudited) |
|---|-----------------------|--------------------------|---|
| | Actual (Unaudited) | Pro Forma (Unaudited) | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 87 | \$ 9,087 | |
| Derivative liabilities- warrants | 5,230 | 5,230 | |
| Convertible notes payable | 167 | - | |
| Series A Convertible Preferred stock - \$0.001 par value, 50,000,000 shares authorized, 3,000,000 shares issued and outstanding, 0 shares issued and outstanding , proforma and proforma as adjusted | 3 | - | |
| Common stock - \$0.001 par value, 500,000,000 shares authorized, 168,188,674 shares issued and outstanding at 12/31/14; 500,000,000 shares authorized, _____ shares issued and outstanding, proforma and proforma as adjusted | 168 | 258 | |
| Additional paid in capital | 18,279 | 27,189 | |
| Accumulated deficit | (24,693) | (25,893) | |
| Total stockholders' deficit | (6,243) | 1,554 | |
| Total capitalization | \$ (1,180) | \$ 6,784 | |

The outstanding share information in the table above is based on 168,188,674 shares of our common stock outstanding as of December 31, 2014, and excludes the following:

- 1,604,990 shares of common stock issued during the three months ended March 31, 2015 for purposes of shares outstanding as of December 31, 2014 on an actual basis only;
- 500,000 shares of common stock underlying the Series A convertible preferred stock issued after December 31, 2014 for purposes of shares outstanding as of December 31, 2014 on an actual basis only;
- 12,900,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of options granted under our 2011 Stock Incentive Plan at a weighted-average exercise price of \$.125 per share;

- 134,556,286 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of common stock warrants outstanding at a weighted-average exercise price of \$0.178 per share.
- Up to 5,230,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of placement agent warrants exercisable at \$0.15 per share. These placement agent warrants will be issued only upon the exercise of the Series A Warrants, and are issuable ratably based upon the number of Warrants exercised.
- 1,000,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of common stock warrants outstanding issued after December 31, 2014 at a weighted-average exercise \$0.25 per share for purposes of shares outstanding as of December 31, 2014 on an actual basis only.

We may also increase or decrease the number of shares we are offering. An increase (decrease) of _____ shares in the number of shares we are offering would increase (decrease) our pro forma as adjusted capitalization by approximately \$ _____ million, or \$ _____ per share, and decrease (increase) the pro forma capitalization in this offering by \$ _____ per share, or \$ _____ per share, assuming the offering remains at \$ _____ million and the public offering price per share is adjusted accordingly, after deducting the estimated underwriting discount and estimated offering expenses payable by us. The pro forma information discussed above is illustrative only and will change based on the actual public offering price, number of shares and other terms of this offering determined at pricing.

Each \$1.00 increase (decrease) in the assumed public offering price of \$ _____ per share would increase (decrease) the pro forma as adjusted capitalization, assuming the offering remains at \$ _____ million and the number of shares offered by us is adjusted accordingly, after deducting the estimated underwriting discount and estimated offering expenses payable by us.

DILUTION

If you invest in our common stock in this offering, your ownership interest will be immediately diluted to the extent of the difference between the public offering price per share of our common stock and the pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value per share of our common stock immediately after this offering.

Our historical net tangible book value deficit of (\$6,242,561) is the amount of our total tangible assets less our total liabilities as of December 31, 2014. Net historical tangible book value (deficit) per share of (\$0.037) is our historical net tangible book value deficit divided by the number of shares of common stock outstanding as of December 31, 2014. Prior to considering the effects of the proceeds of this offering, but giving effect to our receipt of the net proceeds from the sale by us of _____ shares of common stock at a purchase price of \$ _____ per share, after deducting estimated underwriting discounts and commissions and estimated offering expenses payable by us, and the subsequent exchange of 3,500,000 shares of common stock for 3,500,000 shares of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock, or the preferred stock, with a stated value of \$0.001 per share (each share of which is convertible into 1 shares of our common stock, subject to adjustment in the event of stock splits, recapitalizations and other similar events affecting our common stock), our net tangible book value (deficit) as of December 31, 2014 was approximately \$ _____ million, or \$ _____ per share.

Pro forma as adjusted net book value is our pro forma net tangible book value (deficit), after giving effect to the sale of shares of our common stock in this offering at an assumed public offering price of \$ _____ per share (the closing sales price of our common stock on The NASDAQ Capital Market on _____ as adjusted net book value as of December 31, 2014 would have been approximately \$ _____ million, or \$ _____ per share. This amount represents an immediate increase in pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value of \$ _____ per share to our existing stockholders, and an immediate dilution of \$ _____ per share to new investors participating in this offering. Dilution per share to new investors is determined by subtracting pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value per share after this offering from the public offering price per share paid by new investors.

The following table illustrates this dilution on a per share basis:

| | |
|---|------------|
| Assumed public offering price per share | \$ |
| Pro forma net tangible book value per share as of December 31, 2014 | \$ (0.037) |
| Increase in net tangible book value per share attributable to this offering | \$ |
| Pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value per share after this offering | \$ |
| Amount of dilution in net tangible book value per share to new investors in this offering | \$ |

If the underwriters exercise in full their option to purchase additional shares, the pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value per share after giving effect to this offering would be \$_____ per share, which amount represents an immediate increase in pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value of \$_____ per share of our common stock to existing stockholders and an immediate dilution in pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value of \$_____ per share of our common stock to new investors purchasing shares of common stock in this offering.

Each \$1.00 increase (decrease) in the assumed public offering price of \$_____ per share would increase (decrease) the pro forma net tangible book value, as adjusted to give effect to this offering, by \$_____ per share and the dilution to new investors by \$_____ per share, assuming the offering remains at \$_____ million and the number of shares offered by us is adjusted accordingly, after deducting the estimated underwriting discount and estimated offering expenses payable by us.

We may also increase or decrease the number of shares we are offering. An increase (decrease) of 1,000,000 shares in the number of shares we are offering would increase (decrease) our pro forma as adjusted net tangible book value by approximately \$_____ million, or \$_____ per share, and decrease (increase) the pro forma dilution per share to investors in this offering by \$_____ per share, assuming the offering remains at \$_____ million and the public offering price per share is adjusted accordingly, after deducting the estimated underwriting discount and estimated offering expenses payable by us. The pro forma information discussed above is illustrative only and will change based on the actual public offering price, number of shares and other terms of this offering determined at pricing.

If any shares are issued upon exercise of outstanding options or warrants, you may experience further dilution. The number of shares of our common stock reflected in the discussion and tables above is based on 168,188,674 shares of our common stock outstanding as of December 31, 2014 (assuming 1,604,990 shares of common stock issued during the three months ended March 31, 2015 and the issuance of 3,500,000 shares of common stock upon conversion of the Series A convertible preferred stock issued after December 31, 2013), and excludes the following:

- 12,900,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of options granted under our 2011 Stock Incentive Plan at a weighted-average exercise price of \$0.125 per share;
- 134,556,286 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of common stock warrants outstanding at a weighted-average exercise price of \$0.178 per share.
- Up to 5,230,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of placement agent warrants exercisable at \$0.15 per share. These placement agent warrants will be issued only upon the exercise of the Series A Warrants, and are issuable ratably based upon the number of Warrants exercised.
- 1,000,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of common stock warrants outstanding issued after December 31, 2014 at a weighted-average exercise \$0.25 per share for purposes of shares outstanding as of December 31, 2014 on an actual basis only.

We may choose to raise additional capital through the sale of equity or convertible debt securities due to market conditions or strategic considerations even if we believe we have sufficient funds for our current or future operating plans. To the extent that any of these options or warrants are exercised, new options are issued under our equity incentive plans or we issue additional shares of common stock or other equity securities in the future, there may be further dilution to new investors participating in this offering.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

You should read the following discussion and analysis of our financial condition and results of operations together with our financial statements and related notes appearing at the end of this prospectus. Some of the information contained in this discussion and analysis or set forth elsewhere in this prospectus, including information with respect to our plans and strategy for our business and related financing, includes forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. You should read the "Risk Factors" section of this prospectus for a discussion of important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from the results described in or implied by the forward-looking statements contained in the following discussion and analysis.

Overview

Visualant was incorporated in 1998. Since 2007 we have been focused primarily on the development of a proprietary technology which is capable of uniquely identifying and authenticating almost any substance using light at the “photon” level to detect the unique digital “signature” of the substance. We call this our “ChromaID™” technology.

In 2010, we acquired TransTech Systems, Inc. as an adjunct to our business. TransTech is a distributor of products for employee and personnel identification. TransTech currently provides substantially all of our revenues. We intend, however, to use a majority of the proceeds of this offering to further develop and market our ChromaID technology.

We are in the process of commercializing our ChromaID™ technology. To date, we have entered into one License Agreement with Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd. and have a strategic relationship with IDMC. Failure to sell our ChromaID products, grant additional licenses and obtain royalties or develop other revenue streams will have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

We believe that our commercialization success is dependent upon our ability to significantly increase the number of customers that are purchasing and using our products. To date we have generated minimal revenue from sales of our ChromaID products. In addition, demand for our ChromaID products may not increase as quickly as planned and we may be unable to increase our revenue levels as expected. We are currently not profitable. Even if we succeed in introducing the ChromaID technology and related products to our target markets, we may not be able to generate sufficient revenue to achieve or sustain profitability.

Results of Operations

Three Months Ended December 31, 2014 Compared to Three Months Ended December 31, 2013

The following table presents certain consolidated statement of operations information and presentation of that data as a percentage of change from year-to-year for the periods shown.

(dollars in thousands)

| | Three Months Ended December 31, | | | |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|
| | 2014 | 2013 | \$ Variance | % Variance |
| | (Unaudited) | (Unaudited) | | |
| Revenue | \$ 1,843 | \$ 1,877 | \$ (34) | -1.8% |
| Cost of sales | 1,545 | 1,571 | (26) | 1.7% |
| Gross profit | 298 | 306 | (8) | -2.6% |
| Research and development expenses | 119 | 313 | (194) | 62.0% |
| Selling, general and administrative expenses | 653 | 843 | (190) | 22.5% |
| Operating loss | (474) | (850) | 376 | 44.2% |
| Other income (expense): | | | | |
| Interest expense | (37) | (18) | (19) | -105.6% |
| Other income | 6 | 8 | (2) | -25.0% |
| Gain on change - derivative liability warrants | (2,651) | 13 | (2,664) | -20492.3% |
| Total other (expense) income | (2,682) | 3 | (2,685) | -89500.0% |
| Loss before income taxes | (3,156) | (847) | (2,309) | -272.6% |
| Income taxes - current provision (benefit) | 1 | (1) | 2 | -200.0% |
| Net loss | (3,157) | (846) | (2,311) | -273.2% |
| Non-controlling interest | - | 16 | (16) | 100.0% |
| Net loss attributable to Visualant, Inc. common shareholders | \$ (3,157) | \$ (862) | \$ (2,295) | -266.2% |

Sales

Net revenue for the three months ended December 31, 2014 decreased \$34,000 to \$1,843,000 as compared to \$1,877,000 for the three months ended December 31, 2013. TransTech generated all of this revenue, and the decrease was attributable entirely to decreased sales at TransTech.

Cost of Sales

Cost of sales for the three months ended December 31, 2014 decreased \$26,000 to \$1,545,000 as compared to \$1,571,000 for the three months ended December 31, 2013. The decrease was due to slightly lower gross margin at TransTech.

Gross margin was \$298,000 as compared to \$306,000 for the three months ended December 31, 2013. Gross margin was 16.2% for the three ended December 31, 2014 as compared to 16.3% for the three months ended December 31, 2013. The decrease related to slightly lower gross margins at TransTech.

Research and Development Expenses

Research and development expenses for the three months ended December 31, 2014 decreased \$194,000 to \$119,000 as compared to \$313,000 for the three months ended December 31, 2013. The decrease was due to reduced expenditures for suppliers related to the commercialization of Our ChromaID technology and the effect of the Services and License Agreement with IDMC, which required minimal cash expenditures.

Selling, General and Administrative Expenses

Selling, general and administrative expenses for the three months ended December 31, 2014 decreased \$190,000 to \$653,000 as compared to \$843,000 for the three months ended December 31, 2013. The decrease was due to reduced legal expenses (\$86,000), reduced consulting expenses (\$26,000), reduced expenses at TransTech (\$17,000) and a decrease in other general expenses (\$61,000). As part of the selling, general and administrative expenses for the three months ended December 301 2014, we incurred investor relation expenses of \$7,000 and business development expenses of \$32,000.

Other Income/Expense

Other expense for the three months ended December 31, 2014 was \$2,682,000 as compared to other income of \$3,000 for the three months ended December 31, 2013. The other expense for the three months ended December 31, 2014 included other income of \$6,000, offset by loss on change - derivative liability of \$2,651,000 and interest expense of \$37,000. The loss on change derivative liability warrants related to derivative instruments included in the June 2013 private placement, the November 2013 IDMC Services and License Agreement and our convertible notes payable.

The expenses for the three months ended December 31, 2013 included \$18,000 for interest expense, offset by \$8,000 in other income and gain on change – derivative liability warrants of \$13,000.

Net Loss

Net loss for the three months ended December 31, 2014 was \$3,157,000 as compared to a net loss of \$846,000 for the three months ended December 31, 2013 for the reasons discussed above. The net loss for the three months ended December 31, 2014, included non-cash expense of \$2,781,000, including (i) depreciation and amortization of \$104,000; (ii) stock based compensation of \$21,000; (iii) loss on change- derivative liability warrants of \$2,651,000; (iv) share and warrant issuances of \$3,000; and (v) other of \$2,000. TransTech's net profit from operations was \$15,000 for the three months ended December 31, 2014 as compared to \$2,000 for the three months ended December 31, 2013.

The net loss for the three months ended December 31, 2013 included non-cash expenses of \$107,000, including (i) depreciation and amortization of \$98,000; and (ii) stock based compensation of \$24,000, offset by gain on change – derivative liability warrants of \$13,000 and other income of \$2,000.

We expect losses to continue as we commercialize our ChromaID technology.

Year Ended September 30, 2014 Compared to the Year Ended September 30, 2013

The following table presents certain consolidated statement of operations information and presentation of that data as a percentage of change from year-to-year for the periods shown.

(dollars in thousands)

| | Year Ended September 30, | | | |
|--|--------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|--------------|
| | 2014 | 2013 | \$ Variance | % Variance |
| Revenue | \$ 7,983 | \$ 8,573 | \$ (590) | -6.9% |
| Cost of sales | 6,694 | 6,717 | (23) | 0.3% |
| Gross profit | 1,289 | 1,856 | (567) | -30.5% |
| Research and development expenses | 670 | 1,169 | (499) | 42.7% |
| Selling, general and administrative expenses | 3,180 | 4,581 | (1,401) | 30.6% |
| Operating loss | (2,561) | (3,894) | 1,333 | 34.2% |
| Other income (expense): | | | | |
| Interest expense | (105) | (173) | 68 | 39.3% |
| Loss on purchase of outstanding warrants | - | (1,150) | 1,150 | 100.0% |
| Gain (loss) on change- derivative liability warrants | 1,605 | (1,449) | 3,054 | -100.0% |
| Other income | 38 | 31 | 7 | 22.6% |
| Total other income (expense) | 1,538 | (2,741) | 4,279 | 156.1% |
| Loss before income taxes | (1,023) | (6,635) | 5,612 | 84.6% |
| Income taxes - current benefit | (6) | (30) | 24 | 80.0% |
| Net loss | (1,017) | (6,605) | 5,588 | 84.6% |
| Non-controlling interest | - | 17 | (17) | 100.0% |
| Net loss attributable to Visualant, Inc. common shareholders | <u>\$ (1,017)</u> | <u>\$ (6,622)</u> | <u>\$ 5,605</u> | <u>84.6%</u> |

Sales

Net revenue for the year ended September 30, 2014 decreased \$590,000 to \$7,983,000 as compared to \$8,573,000 for the year ended September 30, 2013. TransTech generated \$7,975,000 of this revenue.

The decrease was due to increased sales of \$69,000 at TransTech and \$8,000 at Visualant related to the first shipments of our ChromaID product, offset by a reduction of \$667,000 in license revenue from Sumitomo. Sumitomo paid us an initial payment of \$1 million under a License Agreement dated May 31, 2012 providing Sumitomo with an exclusive license of our technology in identified Asian territories. This license revenue was fully recognized by May 31, 2013. The TransTech increase primarily resulted from the release of new products, including radio frequency and asset tracking and kiosk printer products and sales to an aerospace company.

Cost of Sales

Cost of sales for the year ended September 30, 2014 decreased \$23,000 to \$6,694,000 as compared to \$6,717,000 for the year ended September 30, 2013. The decrease was due to decreased sales, offset by the release of new products, including radio frequency and asset tracking and kiosk printer products at TransTech.

Gross margin was \$6,000 for Visualant revenue and \$1,283,000 from TransTech for a total of \$1,289,000 as compared to \$1,856,000 for the year ended September 30, 2013. The gross margin was 16.1% for the year ended September 30, 2014 as compared to 21.6% for the year ended September 30, 2013. The decrease related to the reduction in Sumitomo license revenue of \$667,000, offset by and an increase in TransTech gross margin from 15.0% to 16.1% related to the release of the new products described above.

Research and Development Expenses

Research and development expenses for the year ended September 30, 2014 decreased \$499,000 to \$670,000 as compared to \$1,169,000 for the year ended September 30, 2013. The decrease was due to reduced expenditures for suppliers related to the commercialization of our ChromaID technology and the Services and License Agreement with IDMC.

Selling, General and Administrative Expenses

Selling, general and administrative expenses for the year ended September 30, 2014 decreased \$1,401,000 to \$3,180,000 as compared to \$4,581,000 for the year ended September 30, 2013.

The decrease was due to reduced business development expenses (\$132,000), reduced stock based compensation of (\$362,000), reduced legal expenses (\$411,000), reduced consulting expenses (\$135,000), reduced public relation expenses (\$47,000), reduced expenses at TransTech (\$259,000) and a decrease in other general expenses (\$187,000). The reduction in business development, stock based compensation and legal expenses were the result of a planned rollback in expenses. The decrease in TransTech expenses related to the departure of the former Chief Executive Officer at TransTech. As part of the selling, general and administrative expenses for the three months ended June 30, 2014, we incurred investor relation expenses of \$94,000 and business development expenses of \$201,000.

Other Income/Expense

Other income for the year ended September 30, 2014 was \$1,538,000 as compared to other expense of \$2,741,000 for the year ended September 30, 2013. The income for the year ended September 30, 2014 included gain on change - derivative liability of \$1,605,000 and other income of \$38,000, offset by interest expense of \$104,000. The gain on change-derivative liability warrants relates to derivative instruments included in the June 2013 private placement and the November 2013 IDMC Services and License Agreement.

The expenses for the year ended September 30, 2013 included loss on change - derivative liability of \$1,449,000 for the warrants issued on June 14, 2013, loss on the purchase of warrants and additional investment right of \$1,150,000 and interest expense of \$173,000, offset by \$31,000 in other income.

Net Loss

Net loss for the year ended September 30, 2014 was \$1,017,000 as compared to a net loss of \$6,605,000 for the year ended September 30, 2013 for the reasons discussed above. The net loss for the year ended September 30, 2014 included non-cash income of \$819,000, including (i) depreciation and amortization of \$418,000; (ii) stock based compensation of \$88,000; and (iii) share and warrant issuances of \$308,000, offset by (i) gain on change- derivative liability warrants of \$1,605,000; and (ii) other of \$28,000. TransTech's net loss from operations was \$64,000 for the year ended September 30, 2014 as compared to a net loss of \$406,000 for the year ended September 30, 2013.

The net loss for the year ended September 30, 2013 included non-cash expenses of \$2,648,000, including (i) depreciation and amortization of \$398,000; (ii) issuance of shares and warrants for services and debt conversions of \$527,000; (iii) stock based compensation of \$250,000; (iv) loss on derivative liability- warrants of \$1,449,000; (v) loss on purchase of warrant and additional investment right of \$850,000; and (vi) other of \$17,000.

We expect losses to continue as we commercialize our ChromaID™ technology.

Liquidity and Capital Resources

Liquidity is the ability of a company to generate funds to support its current and future operations, satisfy its obligations, and otherwise operate on an ongoing basis. Significant factors in the management of liquidity are funds generated by operations, levels of accounts receivable and accounts payable and capital expenditures.

We had cash of \$87,000 and net working capital deficit of approximately \$2,774,000 (excluding the derivative liability- warrants of \$5,230,000) as of December 31, 2014. We expect losses to continue as we commercialize our ChromaID™ technology. Our cash used in operations for the three months ended December 31, 2014 and year ended September 30, 2014 was \$341,000 and \$(1,379,000), respectively. Following this offering, we expect our net proceeds to last approximately two years.

The opinion of our independent registered public accounting firm on our audited financial statements as of and for the year ended September 30, 2014 contains an explanatory paragraph regarding substantial doubt about our ability to continue as a going concern. Our ability to continue as a going concern is dependent upon raising capital from financing transactions.

We need additional financing to implement our business plan and to service our ongoing operations and pay our current debts. There can be no assurance that we will be able to secure any needed funding, or that if such funding is available, the terms or conditions would be acceptable to us. If we are unable to obtain additional financing when it is needed, we will need to restructure our operations, and divest all or a portion of our business. We may seek additional capital through a combination of private and public equity offerings, debt financings and strategic collaborations. Debt financing, if obtained, may involve agreements that include covenants limiting or restricting our ability to take specific actions, such as incurring additional debt, and could increase our expenses and require that our assets secure such debt. Equity financing, if obtained, could result in dilution to our then-existing stockholders and/or require such stockholders to waive certain rights and preferences. If such financing is not available on satisfactory terms, or is not available at all, we may be required to delay, scale back or eliminate the development of business opportunities and our operations and financial condition may be materially adversely affected.

As part of the private placement which closed June 14, 2013, we issued to the investors Series A Warrants for the purchase of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.15 per share and Series B Warrants for the purchase of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.20 per share. In addition, we issued a warrant to IDMC for the purchase of 14,575,286 shares of common stock at \$0.20 per share. The Company also issued (i) a Series C Warrant to purchase 3,500,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share, which is callable at \$0.40 per share; and (ii)) a Series D Warrant to purchase 3,500,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$0.30 per share, which is callable at \$0.60 per share. If fully exercised, the warrants would provide the following liquidity (before fees) to fund our operations:

- Series A Warrants - up to \$7,845,000,
- Series B Warrants - up to \$10,460,000.
- IDMC Warrant – up to \$2,915,000.
- Series C Warrant – up to \$700,000
- Series D Warrant – up to \$1,050,000

The exercise prices of the IDMC warrant and Series A, B, C and D warrants described above will be adjusted if we issue common stock, warrants or equity below the exercise price that is reflected in the warrant prices above. If the per share price of our common stock in this offering is below the exercise prices of these outstanding warrants, or if we issue any additional shares of common stock, warrants or other equity securities at a price below the exercise prices of these outstanding warrants, it would result in a reduction in the exercise price of these outstanding warrants. If such reduction in the exercise price of these outstanding warrants occurred, upon exercise of these warrants, we would receive substantially less capital to fund our operations. A downward adjustment in the exercise price of these warrants could also affect the market price of our common stock.

We have financed our corporate operations and our technology development through the issuance of convertible debentures, the sale common stock, issuance of common stock in conjunction with an equity line of credit, and loans by our Chief Executive Officer.

We finance our TransTech operations from operations and a Secured Credit Facility with Capital Source Business Finance Group. On December 9, 2008, TransTech entered into a \$1,000,000 secured credit facility with Capital Source to fund its operations. On December 12, 2014, the secured credit facility was renewed for an additional six months, with a floor for prime interest of 4.5% (currently 4.5%) plus 2.5%. The eligible borrowing is based on 80% of eligible trade accounts receivable, not to exceed \$1,000,000. The secured credit facility is collateralized by the assets of TransTech, with a guarantee by Visualant, including a security interest in all assets of Visualant. Availability under this Secured Credit ranges from \$0 to \$175,000 (\$56,000 as of March 31, 2015) on a daily basis. The remaining balance on the accounts receivable line \$400,000 as of March 31, 2015 must be repaid by the time the secured credit facility expires on June 12, 2015, or we renew by automatic extension for the next successive six-month term.

Operating Activities

Net cash used in operating activities for the three months ended December 31, 2014 was (\$341,000). This amount was primarily related to a net loss of \$3,157,000 and an increase in accounts receivable of \$168,000, offset by non-cash other expense of \$2,781,000, including (i) depreciation and amortization of \$104,000; (ii) stock based compensation of \$21,000; (iii) loss on change- derivative liability warrants of \$2,651,000; (iv) share and warrant issuances of \$3,000; and (v) other of \$2,000, as well as an increase in accounts payable and accrued expenses totaling \$132,000. The loss on change- derivative liability warrants relates to derivative instruments included in the June 2013 private placement, the November 2013 IDMC Services and License Agreement and Convertible Notes Payable.

Net cash used in operating activities for the year ended September 30, 2014 was \$1,379,000. This amount was primarily related to a net loss of \$1,017,000, non-cash income of \$819,000, including (i) depreciation and amortization of \$418,000; (ii) stock based compensation of \$88,000; and (iii) share and warrant issuances of \$308,000, offset by (i) gain on change- derivative liability warrants of \$1,605,000; and (ii) other of \$28,000, offset by a reduction in account receivable of \$192,000, a reduction in inventory of \$88,000 and an increase in accounts payable and accrued liabilities of \$144,000. The gain on change- derivative liability warrants relates to derivative instruments included in the June 2013 private placement and the November 2013 IDMC Services and License Agreement.

Investing Activities

Net cash provided by investing activities for the three months ended December 31, 2014 was \$2,000. This amount was primarily related to the investment of proceeds from the sale of equipment of \$2,000.

Net cash provided by investing activities for the year ended September 30, 2014 was \$29,000. This amount was primarily related to the investment of proceeds from the sale of equipment of \$29,000.

Financing Activities

Net cash provided by financing activities for the three months ended December 31, 2014 was \$355,000. This amount was primarily related to proceeds from the sale of preferred stock of \$300,000 and proceeds from line of credit of \$55,000.

Net cash provided by financing activities for the year ended September 30, 2014 was \$673,000. This amount was primarily related to proceeds from notes payable- related party of \$600,000, proceeds from note payable of \$200,000, proceeds from convertible notes payable of \$167,000, offset by repayment of debt of \$261,000. Entities affiliated with Ronald P. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer, provided \$600,000 from a notes payable- related party and guaranteed a note payable for \$200,000 during the year ended September 30, 2014.

Our contractual cash obligations as of September 30, 2014 are summarized in the table below:

| Contractual Cash Obligations | Total | Less Than 1 Year | 1-3 Years | 3-5 Years | Greater Than 5 Years |
|------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------------|
| Operating leases | \$ 93,028 | \$ 69,273 | \$ 23,755 | \$ 0 | \$ 0 |
| Notes payable | 1,290,960 | 1,290,960 | - | - | - |
| Capital expenditures | 225,000 | 75,000 | 75,000 | 75,000 | - |
| | <u>\$ 1,608,988</u> | <u>\$ 1,435,233</u> | <u>\$ 98,755</u> | <u>\$ 75,000</u> | <u>\$ 0</u> |

Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements

We do not have any off-balance sheet arrangements (as that term is defined in Item 303 of Regulation S-K) that are reasonably likely to have a current or future material effect on our financial condition, revenue or expenses, results of operations, liquidity, capital expenditures or capital resources.

Critical Accounting Policies and Estimates

The application of GAAP (Generally Accepted Accounting Principles) involves the exercise of varying degrees of judgment. On an ongoing basis, we evaluate our estimates and judgments based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. Actual results may differ from these estimates under different assumptions or conditions. We believe that of our significant accounting policies (see summary of significant accounting policies more fully described in Note 3 to the financial statements set forth in this report), the following policies involve a higher degree of judgment and/or complexity:

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Actual results may differ from these estimates under different assumptions or conditions. We believe that of our significant accounting policies (see summary of significant accounting policies more fully described in Note 3 to the financial statements set forth in this report), the following policies involve a higher degree of judgment and/or complexity:

Inventories

Inventories consist primarily of printers and consumable supplies, including ribbons and cards, badge accessories, capture devices, and access control components held by TransTech for resale and are stated at the lower of cost or market on the first-in, first-out ("FIFO") method. Inventories are considered available for resale when drop shipped and invoiced directly to a customer from a vendor, or when physically received by TransTech at a warehouse location. We record a provision for excess and obsolete inventory whenever an impairment has been identified.

Derivative Instruments – Warrants

ASC Topic 820, *Fair Value Measurement and Disclosures*, defines fair value as the exchange price that would be received for an asset or paid to transfer a liability (an exit price) in the principal or most advantageous market for the asset or liability in an orderly transaction between market participants on the measurement date. This topic also establishes a fair value hierarchy, which requires classification based on observable and unobservable inputs when measuring fair value. The fair value hierarchy distinguishes between assumptions based on market data (observable inputs) and an entity's own assumptions (unobservable inputs).

We issued warrants to purchase 104,600,000 shares of common stock in connection with our June 2013 private placement of 52,300,000 shares of common stock. The exercise price of these warrants is \$0.15 to \$0.20 per share. These warrants were not issued with the intent of effectively hedging any future cash flow, fair value of any asset, liability or any net investment in a foreign operation. These warrants were issued with a down-round provision whereby the exercise price would be adjusted downward in the event that additional shares of our common stock or securities exercisable, convertible or exchangeable for our common stock were issued at a price less than the exercise price. Therefore, the fair value of these warrants were recorded as a liability in the consolidated balance sheet and are marked to market each reporting period until they are exercised or expire or otherwise extinguished.

The proceeds from the private placement were allocated between the shares of common stock and the warrants issued in connection with the private placement based upon their estimated fair values as of the closing date at June 14, 2013, resulting in the aggregate amount of \$2,494,710 allocated to stockholders' equity and \$2,735,290 allocated to the warrant derivative. We recognized \$1,448,710 of other expense resulting from the increase in the fair value of the warrant liability at September 30, 2013. During the year ended September 30, 2014, we recognized \$2,092,000 of other income resulting from the decrease in the fair value of the warrant liability at June 30, 2014. During the six months ended March 31, 2015, we recognized \$366,100 of other income resulting from the decrease in the fair value of the warrant liability at March 31, 2015.

We issued a warrant to purchase 14,575,286 shares of common stock in connection with the November 2013 IDMC Services and License Agreement. The warrant price of \$0.20 per share expires November 10, 2018 and the per share price is subject to adjustment. This warrant was not issued with the intent of effectively hedging any future cash flow, fair value of any asset, liability or any net investment in a foreign operation. This warrant was issued with a down-round provision whereby the exercise price would be adjusted downward in the event that additional shares of our common stock or securities exercisable, convertible or exchangeable for our common stock were issued at a price less than the exercise price. Therefore, the fair value of these warrants was recorded as a liability in the consolidated balance sheet and are marked to market each reporting period until they are exercised or expire or otherwise extinguished. During the year ended September 30, 2014, we recognized \$320,657 of other expense related to the IDMC warrant. During the six months ended March 31, 2015, we recognized \$43,726 of other income related to the IDMC warrant.

We entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on August 25, 2014 for \$103,500. The Note was paid off on March 2, 2015. We entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM on September 24, 2014 for \$63,000. The Note was repaid March 27, 2015. We entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM on January 27, 2015 for \$64,000. The KBM Note accrues interest at a rate of 8% per annum and becomes due on October 27, 2015 and is convertible into common stock on July 26, 2015. The outstanding KBM Notes is convertible at 65% of the average of the lowest three day trading price in the 10 days prior to conversion; however, the outstanding KBM notes is not convertible until July 26, 2015. During the year ended September 30, 2014, we recognized \$166,500 of other expense related to the KBM Notes. During the six months ended March 31, 2015, we recognized \$29,529 of other income and allocated \$98,940 to stockholder's equity related to the KBM Notes.

We issued 3,500,000 shares of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock with attached warrants during the six months ended March 31, 2015. We allocated \$233,333 to stockholders equity and \$116,667 to the derivative warrant liability. The warrants were issued with a down round provision. During the six months ended March 31, 2015, we recognized \$175,000 of other expense related to the warrant liability.

Revenue Recognition

Visualant and TransTech revenue are derived from the sale of products and services. Service revenue is considered realized when the services have been provided to the customer, the work has been accepted by the customer and collectability is reasonably assured. Furthermore, if an actual measurement of revenue cannot be determined, we defer all revenue recognition until such time that an actual measurement can be determined. If during the course of a contract management determines that losses are expected to be incurred, such costs are charged to operations in the period such losses are determined. Revenues are deferred when cash has been received from the customer but the revenue has not been earned. The Sumitomo License fee was recorded as revenue over the life the Joint Development Agreement and was fully recorded as of May 31, 2013.

Stock Based Compensation

We have share-based compensation plans under which employees, consultants, suppliers and directors may be granted shares of our restricted common stock, as well as options to purchase shares of our common stock at the fair market value at the time of grant. Stock-based compensation cost is measured by us at the grant date, based on the fair value of the award, over the requisite service period. For options issued to employees, we recognize stock compensation costs utilizing the fair value methodology over the related period of benefit. Grants of stock options and shares of restricted common stock to non-employees and other parties are accounted for in accordance with the ASC 505.

Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosure about Market Risk

We have no investments in any market risk sensitive instruments either held for trading purposes or entered into for other than trading purposes.

BUSINESS

We are focused primarily on the development of a proprietary technology which is capable of uniquely identifying and authenticating almost any substance using light to create, record and detect the unique digital “signature” of the substance. We call this our “ChromaID™” technology.

Our ChromaID™ Technology

We have developed a proprietary technology to uniquely identify and authenticate almost any substance. This patented technology utilizes light at the photon (elementary particle of light) level through a series of emitters and detectors to generate a unique signature or “fingerprint” from a scan of almost any solid, liquid or gaseous material. This signature of reflected or transmitted light is digitized, creating a unique ChromaID signature. Each ChromaID signature is comprised of hundreds or thousands of specific data points.

The ChromaID technology looks beyond visible light frequencies to areas of near infra-red and ultraviolet light that are outside the humanly visible light spectrum. The data obtained allows us to create a very specific and unique ChromaID signature of the substance for a myriad of authentication and verification applications.

Traditional light-based identification technology, called spectrophotometry, has relied upon a complex system of prisms, mirrors and visible light. Spectrophotometers typically have a higher cost and utilize a form factor more suited to a laboratory setting and require trained laboratory personnel to interpret the information. The ChromaID technology uses lower cost LEDs and photodiodes and specific frequencies of light resulting in a more accurate, portable and easy-to-use solution for a wide variety of applications. The ChromaID technology not only has significant cost advantages as compared to spectrophotometry, it is also completely flexible in size, shape and configuration. The ChromaID scan head can range in size from endoscopic to a scale that could be the size of a large ceiling-mounted florescent light fixture.

In normal operation, a ChromaID master or reference scan is generated and stored in a database. The Visualant scan head can then scan similar materials to identify, authenticate or diagnose them by comparing the new ChromaID digital signature scan to that of the original or reference ChromaID signature or scan result.

ChromaID was invented by scientists from the University of Washington under contract with Visualant. We have pursued an aggressive intellectual property strategy and have been granted seven patents. We also have 22 patents pending. We possess all right, title and interest to the issued patents. Ten of the pending patents are licensed exclusively to us in perpetuity by our strategic partner, Intellectual Ventures through its subsidiary IDMC.

In 2010, we acquired TransTech Systems, Inc. (“TransTech”) as an adjunct to our business. TransTech is a distributor of products for employee and personnel identification. TransTech currently provides substantially all of our revenues. We intend, however, to use a majority of the proceeds of this offering to further develop and market our ChromaID technology.

The following summarizes our plans for our proprietary ChromaID technology. Based on our anticipated expenditures on this technology, the expected efforts of our management and our relationship with Intellectual Ventures and its subsidiary, IDMC, and our other strategic partner, Sumitomo Precision Products, Ltd., we expect our ChromaID technology to provide an increasing portion of our revenues in future years from product sales, licenses, royalties and other revenue streams., as discussed further below.

ChromaID: A Foundational Platform Technology

Our ChromaID technology provides a platform upon which a myriad of applications can be developed. As a platform technology, it is analogous to a smartphone, upon which an enormous number of previously unforeseen applications have been developed. The ChromaID technology is an enabling technology that brings the science of light and photonics to low cost, real world commercialization opportunities across multiple industries. The technology is foundational and as such, the basis upon which we believe a significant business can be built.

As with other foundational technologies, a single application may reach across multiple industries. The ChromaID technology can, for example effectively differentiate and identify different brands of clear vodkas that appear identical to the human eye. By extension this same technology can identify pure water from water with contaminants present. It can provide real time detection of liquid medicines such as morphine that have been adulterated or compromised. It can detect if jet fuel has water contamination present. It could determine when it is time to change oil in a deep fat fryer. These are but a few of the potential applications of the ChromaID technology based upon extensions of its ability to identify different clear liquids.

The cornerstone of a company with a foundational platform technology is its intellectual property. ChromaID was invented by scientists from the University of Washington under contract with Visualant. We have pursued an aggressive intellectual property strategy and have been granted seven patents. We currently have 22 patents pending. We possess all right, title and interest to the issued patents. Ten of the pending patents are licensed exclusively to us in perpetuity by its strategic partner, IDMC.

At the Photonics West trade show held in San Francisco in February 2013, we were honored to receive a PRISM award from the Society of Photo-Optical Instrumentation Engineers International, better known as SPIE.

IDMC Relationship

In November 2013, we entered into a strategic relationship with IDMC, a subsidiary of Intellectual Ventures, a private intellectual property fund with over \$5 billion under management. Intellectual Ventures owns over 40,000 IP assets and has broad global relationships for the invention of technology, the filing of patents and the licensing of intellectual property. IDMC has worked to expand the reach and the potential application of the ChromaID technology and has filed ten patents base on the ChromaID technology, which it has licensed to us. In connection with IDMC's work to expand our intellectual property portfolio, we agreed to curtail outbound marketing activities of our technology through the fourth calendar quarter of 2014.

Initial testing in our laboratories and the work of the IDMC inventors have shown that the ChromaID technology has a number of broad and useful applications a few of which include:

- Milk identification for quality, protein and fat content and impurities
- Identification of liquids for counterfeits or contaminants
- Detecting adulterants in food and food products compromising its quality
- Color grading of diamonds
- Identifying real cosmetics versus counterfeit cosmetics
- Identifying counterfeit medications versus real medications
- Identifying regular flour versus gluten free flour
- Authenticating secure identification cards

Products

Our first delivered product, the ChromaID Lab Kit, scans and identifies solid surfaces. We are marketing this product to customers who are considering licensing the technology. Target markets include, but are not limited to, commercial paint manufacturers, pharmaceutical equipment manufacturers, process control companies, currency paper and ink manufacturers, security cards, cosmetic companies, scanner manufactures and food processing companies.

Our second product, the ChromaID Liquid Lab Kit, scans and identifies liquids. This product is currently in prototype form. Similar to our first product, it will be marketed to customers who are considering licensing the technology. Rather than use an LED emitter to reflect light off of a surface that is captured by a photodiode to generate a ChromaID signature the liquid analysis product shines light through the liquid (transmissive) with the LEDs positioned on one side of the liquid sample and the photo detectors on the opposite side. This device is in a functional state in our laboratory and we anticipate having a Liquid ChromaID Lab Kit available for customers by the Company's fourth fiscal quarter ending September 30, 2015. Target markets include, but are not limited to, water companies, petrochemical companies, pharmaceutical companies, and numerous consumer applications.

The ChromaID Lab Kits allows potential licensors of our technology to work with our technology and develop solutions for their particular application. Our contractual arrangements with IDMC are described in greater detail below.

Our Commercialization Plans for the ChromaID Technology.

We shipped our first ChromaID product, the ChromaID Lab Kits, to our strategic partner IDMC during the last calendar quarter of 2013 and first calendar quarter of 2014, after we completed final assembly and testing. As part of our agreement with IDMC, we curtailed our ChromaID marketing efforts through the fourth calendar quarter of 2014 while IDMC worked to expand our intellectual property portfolio. Thereafter, we began to actively market the ChromaID Lab Kits to interested and qualified customers. To date, we have achieved limited revenue from the sale of our ChromaID Lab Kits.

The Lab Kit includes the following:

ChromaID Scanner. A small device made with electronic and optical components and firmware which pulses light onto a flat material and records and digitizes the light that is reflected back from that material. The device is the size of a typical flashlight (5.5" long and 1.25" diameter). However, the technology can be incorporated into almost any size, shape and configuration.

ChromaID Lab Software. A software application that runs on a Windows PC. The software allows for configuration of the scanner, controls the behavior of the ChromaID Scanner, displays a graph of the captured ChromaID signature profile, stores the ChromaID signature in a database and uses algorithms to compare the accuracy of the match of the unknown scan to the known ChromaID signature profile. This software is intended for lab and experimental use only and is not required for commercialized product applications.

Software Development Toolkit. A collection of software applications, API (an abbreviation of application program interface – a set of routines, protocols, and tools for building software applications) definitions and file descriptions that allow a customer to extract the raw data from the ChromaID signatures and run their own software routines against that raw data.

The ChromaID Lab Kit allows customers to experiment with and evaluate the ChromaID technology and determine if it is appropriate for their specific applications. The primary electronic and optical parts of the ChromaID scanner, called the "scan head," could be supplied to customers to integrate into their own products. A set of ChromaID Developer Tools are also available. These allow customers to develop their own products based on the ChromaID technology.

ChromaID signatures must be stored, managed, and readily accessible for comparison, matching and authentication purposes. The database can be owned and operated by the end customer, but in the case of thousands of ChromaID signatures, database management may be outsourced to us or a third party provider. These database services could be made available on a per-access transaction basis or on a monthly or annual subscription basis. The actual storage location of the database can be cloud-based, on a stand-alone scanning device or on a mobile device via a Bluetooth connection depending on the requirements of access, size of the database and security as defined by the customer. As a result, large databases can be accessed by cell phone or other mobile technologies using either local storage or cloud based storage.

Based on the commercialization plans outlined above, our business model anticipates deriving revenue from several sources:

- Sales of the ChromaID Lab Kit and ChromaID Liquid Lab Kit
- Non Recurring Engineering (NRE) fees to assist customers with scan integration into their products
- Licensing of the ChromaID technology
- Royalties per unit generated from the sales of scan heads
- Per click transaction revenue from accessing the unique ChromaID signatures
- Developing custom product applications for customers
- ChromaID database administration and management services

Our Acceleration of Business Development in the United States and Around the World

We are coordinating our internal business development, sales and marketing efforts with those of our strategic partners IDMC, and Sumitomo Precision Products to leverage market data and information in order to focus on specific target vertical markets which have the greatest potential for early adoption. The ChromaID Lab Kit provides a means for us to demonstrate the technology to customers in these markets. It also allows customers to experiment with developing unique applications for their particular use. Our Business Development team is pursuing license opportunities with customers in our target markets.

There is no requirement for FDA or other government approval for the current applications of our ChromaID technology. Over time, as we explore the application of our ChromaID technology for medical diagnostics and other applications, we expect that there will be requirements for FDA and other government approvals before applications using the technology in medical and other regulated fields can enter the marketplace.

Research and Development

Our research and development efforts are primarily focused improving the core foundational ChromaID technology and developing new and unique applications for the technology. As part of this effort, we typically conduct testing to ensure that ChromaID application methods are compatible with the customer's requirements, and that they can be implemented in a cost effective manner. We are also actively involved in identifying new application methods. Our team has considerable experience working with the application of light-based technologies and their application to various industries. We believe that our continued development of new and enhanced technologies relating to our core business is essential to our future success. We spent \$1,169,281 on research and development activities for the year ended September 30, 2013 and \$670,742 for the year ended September 30, 2014. Our research and development efforts are supported internally, through our relationship with IDMC and through contractors led by Dr. Tom Furness and his team at RATLab LLC.

Our Patents

We believe that our seven patents, 22 patent applications, and two registered trademarks, and our trade secrets, copyrights and other intellectual property rights are important assets for us. Our patents will expire at various times between 2027 and 2033. The duration of our trademark registrations varies from country to country. However, trademarks are generally valid and may be renewed indefinitely as long as they are in use and/or their registrations are properly maintained.

The patents that have been granted to Visualant include:

On August 9, 2011, we were issued US Patent No. 7,996,173 B2 entitled "Method, Apparatus and Article to Facilitate Distributed Evaluation of Objects Using Electromagnetic Energy," by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires August 24, 2029.

On December 13, 2011, we were issued US Patent No. 8,076,630 B2 entitled "System and Method of Evaluating an Object Using Electromagnetic Energy" by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires November 7, 2028.

On December 20, 2011, we were issued US Patent No. 8,081,304 B2 entitled "Method, Apparatus and Article to Facilitate Evaluation of Objects Using Electromagnetic Energy" by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires July 28, 2030.

On October 9, 2012, we were issued US Patent No. 8,285,510 B2 entitled "Method, Apparatus, and Article to Facilitate Distributed Evaluation of Objects Using Electromagnetic Energy" by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires July 31, 2027.

On February 5, 2013, we were issued US Patent No. 8,368,878 B2 entitled "Method, Apparatus and Article to Facilitate Evaluation of Objects Using Electromagnetic Energy" by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires July 31, 2027.

On November 12, 2013, we were issued US Patent No. 8,583,394 B2 entitled “Method, Apparatus and Article to Facilitate Distributed Evaluation of Objects Using Electromagnetic Energy by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires July 31, 2027.

On November 21, 2014, we were issued US Patent No. 8,888,207 entitled “Systems, Methods, and Articles Related to Machine-Readable Indicia and Symbols” by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires February 7, 2033.

We pursue an aggressive patent strategy to expand our unique intellectual property in the United States and other countries.

Services and License Agreement Invention Development Management Company, L.L.C.

In November 2013, we entered into a Services and License Agreement with IDMC. IDMC is affiliated with Intellectual Ventures, which collaborates with inventors and partners with pioneering companies and invests both expertise and capital in the process of invention. On November 19, 2014, we amended the Services and License Agreement with IDMC. This amendment exclusively licenses 10 filed patents to us

The agreement requires IDMC to identify and engage inventors to develop new applications of our ChromaID™ technology, present the developments to us for approval, and file at least 10 patent applications to protect the developments. IDMC is responsible for the development and patent costs. We provided the Chroma ID Lab Kits to IDMC at no cost and are providing ongoing technical support. In addition, to provide time for this accelerated expansion of its intellectual property we delayed the selling of the ChromaID Lab Kits for 140 days except for certain select accounts. We have continued our business development efforts during this period and have worked with IDMC and their global business development resources to secure potential customers and licensees for the ChromaID technology. We shipped 20 ChromaID Lab Kits to inventors in the IDMC network during December 2013 and January 2014. As part of our agreement with IDMC, we curtailed our ChromaID marketing efforts through the fourth calendar quarter of 2014 while IDMC worked to expand our intellectual property portfolio. Thereafter, we began to actively market the ChromaID Lab Kits to interested and qualified customers.

We have received a worldwide, nontransferable, exclusive license to the intellectual property developed under the IDMC agreement during the term of the agreement, and solely within the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use, to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer for sale products and services; (b) make improvements; and (c) grant sublicenses of any and all of the foregoing rights (including the right to grant further sublicenses).

We received a nonexclusive and nontransferable option to acquire a worldwide, nontransferable, nonexclusive license to the useful intellectual property held by IDMC within the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer to sell products and services and (b) grant sublicenses to any and all of the foregoing rights. The option to acquire this license may be exercised for up to two years from the effective date of the Agreement.

IDMC is providing global business development services to us for geographies not being pursued by Visualant. Also, IDMC has introduced us to potential customers, licensees and distributors for the purpose of identifying and pursuing a license, sale or distribution arrangement or other monetization event.

We granted to IDMC a nonexclusive, worldwide, fully paid, nontransferable, sublicenseable, perpetual license to our intellectual property solely outside the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer for sale products and services and (b) grant sublicenses of any and all of the foregoing rights (including the right to grant further sublicenses).

We granted to IDMC a nonexclusive, worldwide, fully paid up, royalty-free, nontransferable, non-sublicenseable, perpetual license to access and use our technology solely for the purpose of marketing the aforementioned sublicenses of our intellectual property to third parties outside the designated fields of use.

In connection with the original license agreement, we issued a warrant to purchase 14,575,286 shares of common stock to IDMC as consideration for the exclusive intellectual property license and application development services. The warrant has an exercise price of \$0.20 per share and expires November 10, 2018. The per share price is subject to adjustment based on any issuances below \$.20 per share except as described in the warrant.

We agreed to pay IDMC a percentage of license revenue for the global development business services and a percentage of revenue received from any company introduced to us by IDMC. We also have also agreed to pay IDMC a royalty when we receive royalty product revenue from an IDMC-introduced company. IDMC has agreed to pay us a license fee for the nonexclusive license of our intellectual property.

The term of both the exclusive intellectual property license and the nonexclusive intellectual property license commences on the effective date of November 11, 2013, and terminates when all claims of the patents expire or are held in valid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction from which no appeal can be taken.

The term of the Agreement commences on the effective date until either party terminates the Agreement at any time following the fifth anniversary of the effective date by providing at least ninety days' prior written notice to the other party.

TransTech Systems, Inc.

Our wholly owned subsidiary, TransTech Systems, Inc., is a distributor of products, including systems solutions, components and consumables, for employee and personnel identification in government and the private sector, document authentication, access control, and radio frequency identification. TransTech provides these products and services, along with marketing and business development assistance to value-added resellers and system integrators throughout North America.

We expect our ownership of TransTech to accelerate our market entry and penetration through well-operated and positioned dealers of security and authentication systems, thus creating a natural distribution channel for products featuring our proprietary ChromaID technology. TransTech currently provides substantially all of our revenues. Its management team functions independently from Visualant's and its operations require a minimal commitment of our management time and other resources. Our acquisition of TransTech in June 2010 and its operations are described in greater detail below.

Agreements with Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd.

In May 2012, we entered into a Joint Research and Product Development Agreement with Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd., a publicly-traded Japanese corporation, for the commercialization of our ChromaID technology. In March 2013, we entered into an amendment to this agreement, which extended the Joint Development Agreement from March 31, 2013 to December 31, 2013. The extension provided for continuing work between Sumitomo and Visualant focused upon advancing the ChromaID technology and market research aimed at identifying the most significant markets for the ChromaID technology. This collaborative work supported the development of the ChromaID Lab Kit. This agreement expired December 31, 2013. The current version of the technology was introduced to the marketplace as a part of our ChromaID Lab Kit during the fourth quarter of 2013. Sumitomo invested \$2,250,000 in exchange for 17,307,693 shares of restricted shares of common stock priced at \$0.13 per share that was funded on June 21, 2012.

We also entered into a License Agreement with Sumitomo in May 2012, under which Sumitomo paid the Company an initial payment of \$1 million. The License Agreement granted Sumitomo an exclusive license for the then extant ChromaID technology. The territories covered by this license include Japan, China, Taiwan, Korea and the entirety of Southeast Asia (Burma, Indonesia, Thailand, Cambodia, Laos, Vietnam, Singapore and the Philippines). The Sumitomo License fee was recorded as revenue over the life of the Joint Research and Product Development Agreement and was fully recorded as of May 31, 2013.

Potential Markets and Customers

Our plan is to develop markets and customers who have a need to authenticate, detect, identify, verify or diagnose materials or substances which may include, but are not limited to, commercial paint manufacturers, pharmaceutical equipment manufacturers, process control companies, water purification and quality companies, currency paper and ink manufacturers, security card manufacturers, cosmetic companies and food processing companies.

Market opportunities include identification, detection, or diagnosis of:

- Pharmaceuticals – pill counting and verification
- Food safety – testing for contaminants and quality
- Gemstones – diamond color grading
- Liquid analysis – water purity
- Law enforcement - illicit drug identification for law enforcement applications
- Paint – color matching
- ID badges – counterfeit ID detection
- Secure packaging - Container seals and packaging materials with invisible markings
- Cosmetics – matching skin tones to correct products
- Documents and Currency– detect counterfeit paper and inks
- Medical - Noninvasive skin analysis for discovery of diseases or medical conditions

Our Strategy

To date, the substantial portion of our non-TransTech revenue has been generated from the development license with Sumitomo Precision Products and sales of our ChromaID Lab Kits. We expect to continue to grow revenues from sales of our Lab Kits, non-recurring engineering fees, licenses, per unit royalties and subscriptions, as well as “per click” revenues. Key aspects of our strategy include:

Customize and Refine our Solutions to Meet Potential Customers’ Needs

We are continuously improving and expanding our potential product offerings by testing the incorporation of our technologies into different media, such as the new ChromaID Liquid Lab Kit that is in the prototype stage. Each vertical market has specific requirements for their potential product application that will involve determining the range of LEDs and photodiodes that will provide optimum performance and the associated form factor required for their product. Our goal is to develop a cost-effective scanning system for each potential industry and customer that can be incorporated into that potential customer’s products that they will then take to market.

Continue to Expand Applications for ChromaID Technology

While we have basic proof of concepts for applications in several large markets to date, we plan to continue our ongoing effort to expand proof-of-concept testing in other vertical markets that have yet to be tested. We have also identified and are further examining opportunities to collaborate with companies and universities to develop new applications for the ChromaID technology. We believe the strength of our solutions is based on the unique and proprietary ChromaID signature that is created from every scan.

Target Potential High-Volume Markets

We will continue to focus our efforts on target vertical markets that are characterized by a high level of vulnerability to counterfeiting, product tampering, piracy, fraud, identity theft, contamination and adulteration. We believe the ChromaID technology can be a lower cost, real time, flexible form factor solution in the following areas: access control, quality and process control, food safety, water quality, law enforcement support, standardization and medical diagnostics. Our current target markets include pharmaceuticals, food quality and safety, gemstone grading, water purity, law enforcement, paint color matching, identity cards, chemical identification, cosmetics, currency, process control and healthcare. If and when we have significantly penetrated these markets, we intend to expand into additional related high volume markets.

Pursue Strategic Acquisitions and Alliances

We intend to pursue strategic acquisitions of companies and technologies that strengthen and complement our core technologies, improve our competitive positioning, allow us to penetrate new markets, and grow our customer base. We also intend to work in collaboration with potential strategic partners in order to continue to market and sell new product lines derived from, but not limited to, ChromaID technology.

Target Additional Markets

In fourth fiscal quarter of 2014, we began introducing our technology and services in Europe, the United States and Asia. Several potential customers are currently analyzing our technology. At the present time, we are focusing our efforts on the pharmaceutical industry, the food safety industry, law enforcement and homeland security. In the future, we plan to expand our focus to include identification cards and other secure documents, industrial materials, agrochemicals, pharmaceuticals, consumer products, cosmetics, currency and medical diagnostics.

Industry Background

Visualant's ChromaID is a part of the broad industry built upon photonics or light-based technology. Photonics science includes the generation, emission, transmission, modulation, signal processing, switching, amplification, and detection/sensing of light. Though covering all light's technical applications over the whole spectrum, most photonic applications are in the range of visible and near-infrared light. The term photonics developed as an outgrowth of the first practical semiconductor light emitters invented in the early 1960s and optical fibers developed in the 1970s.

Photonics came into common use in the 1980s as fiber-optic data transmission was adopted by telecommunications network operators. At that time, the term was used widely at Bell Laboratories. Its use was confirmed when the IEEE Lasers and Electro-Optics Society established an archival journal named Photonics Technology Letters at the end of the 1980s.

Photonics covers a huge range of science and technology applications, including laser manufacturing, biological and chemical sensing, medical diagnostics and therapy, display technology, and optical computing.

Applications of photonics includes all areas from everyday life to the most advanced science, e.g. light detection, telecommunications, information processing, lighting, metrology, spectroscopy, holography, medicine (surgery, vision correction, endoscopy, health monitoring), military technology, laser material processing, visual art, biophotonics, agriculture and robotics.

The world photonics market, according to the *World Photonics Report of 2013* was a \$350 billion market and will grow to a \$650 billion market by 2020.

Our business model is focused on the use of structured light - a disruptive conceptual breakthrough in photonics. Light-emitting diodes (LEDs) shine a single wavelength of pulsed light in increasing steps of intensity onto a subject. Photodiodes capture the light that is returned via reflection or re emission of that light. The photodiode produces an analog signal that is then converted into a 24 bit digital data point for each pulse of light. A typical scan is comprised of hundreds of pulses of light across a number of specific frequency LED's creating a unique ChromaID signature for the subject being scanned. In a typical application a "reference" or "master" ChromaID signature is captured and stored in a database for that specific subject. When an unknown substance is scanned to produce its own ChromaID signature, (the "discovery scan"), the unknown substance's ChromaID signature is compared to that of the known (or "reference") ChromaID signature. Algorithms are used to compare the two sets of data and determine if the "discovery" signature is the same as the "reference" ChromaID signature. This accuracy threshold can be adjusted from 51 % to 99.995 % accuracy based on the requirements for each specific application of the ChromaID technology. Historically, a number of the applications for ChromaID technology were performed by spectrophotometers. The sales of spectrophotometers by companies such as Ocean Optics, Perkin Elmer, Fisher Thermo Scientific and Agilent are multibillion dollar businesses. Spectrophotometers combine broad-spectrum light; a diffraction grating to split it; and a linear array for graphical presentation in software. They tend to be bulky, fragile, and expensive; scanning and analysis are complex. We believe our ChromaID technology uses lower cost components, provides more accurate data, has a very flexible form factor and the information can be easily understood. The use of structured light by our ChromaID technology provides a platform for the development of a myriad of applications in the categories of identification, authentication and diagnostics.

We believe that the ChromaID technology is analogous to a smartphone, upon which an enormous number of previously unforeseen applications have been developed. The ChromaID technology may be considered an enabling technology that brings the science of light and photonics to low cost, real world commercialization opportunities across multiple industries. The technology is foundational and as such, the basis upon which we believe a significant business can be built.

A number of our current and potential markets are set forth below.

Current and Potential Markets

PHARMACEUTICALS

The ChromaID technology has many potential applications in the pharmaceutical industry. These may include counterfeit drug detection, raw materials verification, clean room environment verification, process and quality control applications, medical waste disposal and packaging verification. There are many issues in the pharmaceutical industry that have health safety, litigation and financial loss implications resulting in billions of dollars globally.

Internal tests of the ChromaID technology to cost effectively address a number of the issues that are of concern for the pharmaceutical industry. The ChromaID technology has been proven that it is able to distinguish authentic pills from counterfeit pills and one manufacturer's aspirin from another manufacturer's aspirin by simply scanning and comparing the scan results. We have worked with potential partners to use the ChromaID technology to identify controlled substances prior to their safe and secure disposal in hospital environments. We are currently working with a partner who is exploring using the ChromaID technology in high speed pill sorting and counting equipment to authenticate and verify that the correct pill is going into the package or bottle.

We have worked with a company to verify raw materials prior to them being processed into nutraceutical products.

With the ChromaID Liquid Development Kit we have been able to detect pure liquids from those with contaminants in them with potential applications in production control as well as real-time monitoring of patient liquid medicine delivery systems for potential dilution and verifiability issues.

The pharmaceutical industry faces major problems relative to counterfeit, diluted or falsely labeled drugs that make their way through healthcare systems worldwide, posing a health threat to patients and a financial threat to drug manufacturers and distributors. According to the Center for Medicine in the Public Interest in the United States of America, worldwide sales of counterfeit medicines could top \$75 billion this year, a 90% rise in five years. In some countries, counterfeit prescription drugs comprise as much as 70% of the drug supply and have been responsible for thousands of deaths in some of the world's most impoverished nations, according to the WHO. Counterfeit pharmaceuticals are estimated to be a billion-dollar industry, though some estimate it to be much larger. In 2010, the WHO reported that in over 50% of cases, medicines purchased over the Internet from illegal sites that conceal their physical address have been found to be counterfeit. According to the WHO, counterfeiting can apply to both branded and generic products and counterfeit pharmaceuticals may include products with the correct ingredients but false packaging, with the wrong ingredients, without active ingredients or with insufficient active ingredients.

Throughout the channel of distribution, from raw material sourcing to end consumer purchasing, the ChromaID technology can be used to detect erroneous or counterfeit products and help provide safety and security throughout the supply chain from manufacturers to consumers.

FOOD SAFETY AND QUALITY

Counterfeit food threats are becoming more common as supply chains become more global and as imaging and manufacturing technology become more accessible. There are numerous alarming examples of counterfeit foods that have been reported. For instance, long-grain rice is being labelled and sold as basmati rice, Spanish olive oil is being bottled and sold as Italian olive oil, and mixtures of industrial solvents and alcohol are being sold as vodka. In addition, herbal teas have been found to contain no herbs or tea and juices have been found to contain vegetable oil, which is used as a flame retardant, and labeled tuna turns out to be an unidentifiable concoction of random meats. Although many of these stories have emerged from the UK and Europe, the fake-food problem is also relevant in the United States.

Around the world, food fraud is an epidemic and we believe the ChromaID technology can make a significant contribution in the area of food authentication, food safety and food quality. We are currently in discussions with potential customers about a consumer-based food safety testing device. We are in discussions with another potential customer who has expressed interest in using the technology to perform milk quality analysis including protein and fat content.

In our labs we have been able to identify and differentiate whole milk from 2%, 1% and fat free products. We have also been able to differentiate the same milk product, 2% milk for example, from different manufacturers. We intend to work with research laboratories and universities to perform validation studies that the technology can detect bacteria such as *Listeria* and *E. coli* on the surfaces of meat, fish and poultry.

We have performed initial testing on nutraceutical products and are able to differentiate pure products such as green tea, dried blueberry and dried barberry from those containing small amounts of Maltodextrin, which is a product “extender”.

ChromaID technology also may have applicability in the field both in aiding in pest and disease management and in using our ability to determine the best time for crop harvest. Light reflectivity can also indicate the maturity of a plant’s fruit. The timing of a harvest has a direct impact upon a crop’s value.

GEMSTONE COLOR AND QUALITY

Visualant is currently working with parties who are directly involved with the assessment and grading of diamonds and gemstones. In some cases the acknowledged global standard for gemstone certification, the GIA (Gemological Institute of America), uses subjective evaluation for elements of diamond quality such as color. These evaluations are subject to the inconsistencies of how one individual perceives one color as compared to another individual. The difference in evaluation can impact the value of the gem being graded.

Laboratory testing that has been performed to date indicates that the ChromaID technology can uniquely and accurately differentiate diamond colors between stones and grades of stones. This would provide for a uniform and consistent evaluation of investment grade diamonds in different markets so, for example, there would be consistency between New York, Tel Aviv and Antwerp for the same stone.

FLUID ANALYSIS

Laboratory experimentation with Visualant’s ChromaID technology has shown that the technology can identify and differentiate between identical looking clear fluids. Laboratory tests on water samples were able to detect and identify the pure water sample and clear samples that had various concentrations of salt or sugar dissolved into the solution.

In another laboratory test the ChromaID technology was able to effectively differentiate between different clear vodkas and accurately identify Smirnoff, Stolichnaya and Grey Goose. All were in a clear plastic containers yet the ChromaID technology could quickly and accurately identify them. These tests were all performed with the flat surface scanner. Visualant’s newest product, the ChromaID Liquid Lab Kit, has been designed specifically for liquid analysis. This technology shines light through the liquid using a transmissive derivative of the ChromaID technology which will provide even more accurate results with fluids.

Testing to determine adherence to environmental standards of safety and quality in the US is done primarily by small private commercial labs. These labs are required by municipal and government dictates to use mass spectrometry and gas chromatography for their tests. Globally, the water testing market totals \$3.5 billion annually, according to *Global Water Intelligence*. In addition, there is an approaching boom in this market as China as their awareness of their environmental impact and costs continues to grow.

Further, there is a potential application for the ChromaID technology to be inserted in stacks and effluent pipes to monitor quality of discharges. Currently, mass spectrometer bulbs and sensors are inserted, but they quickly foul due to precipitates and heat reaction of chemicals in the flow.

Among the applications that potential customers have shown an interest in are as follows:

- Low cost water quality testing device for use in third world environments.
- Field-deployable water testing tool for fracking water analysis at the well site.
- Fuel and Oil Analysis. This area includes all analysis done to detect and identify contaminants in fuel and oil inventories. This analysis may be done in the field or in controlled settings. An example of this would be testing for the presence of water in aviation fuel either in line in the aircraft system, or in the hanger as part of routine sampling.
- Real time monitoring of almost any liquid in a production environment such as water desalination, petrochemical production, bottling plants etc. Today samples must be pulled from the production lines and sent to a laboratory for analysis taking hours or days to obtain results.
- Inline intravenous drip monitoring of liquid medications such as morphine for dilution, contaminants or adulterants.

The promise of a flow-through liquid quality detection device that provides real time results at a lower cost has many applications.

LAW ENFORCEMENT

In fiscal year 2011, the US government provided \$3.9 billion for drug interdiction. Currently there is no reusable, reliable and easily portable field-based detection system available to law enforcement agencies. There are many chemical-based tests, but these require a careful adherence to process.

Law enforcement organizations are always seeking a system they can use which will provide absolute proof of authentication. Laboratory experimentation with the ChromaID technology has successfully shown that it can differentiate salt from sugar, baking powder from flour, one manufacturer's baking powder from another manufacturer's baking powder, regular flour from gluten free flour, and aspirin from two different producers.

We have worked with a potential customer in the controlled substance disposal area and, using the ChromaID technology, they were able to successfully identify several similar looking controlled substances from one another. Putting a controlled substance detection device that provides results in real time in the hands of law enforcement for less than \$1,000 would be very valuable tool.

The ChromaID technology could be applied in the area of forensics by identifying automobile paint and soil samples from a crime scene. A database of all automobile paints by manufacturer and model exists and can be scanned and stored in a ChromaID database. This would allow for the paint chips at the scene of a crime to be scanned and identify not just the color of the car but also the year, make and model of the suspect vehicle. Law enforcement would know exactly what make and year of car they were looking for, not just a "yellow" car.

PAINT AND COLOR MATCHING

Laboratory testing of the ChromaID technology has demonstrated that the technology is capable of differentiating minute differences in paint colors and finishes. Our experimentation with Pantone color chips has demonstrated that the ChromaID technology can detect more subtle color differences than a traditional hand held spectrophotometer. In experimenting with a Pantone skin color collection the ChromaID technology could detect a difference in every skin tone sample. A spectrophotometer could only detect a difference in every tenth skin tone sample.

The ChromaID technology could be incorporated into a consumer device that could accurately capture a paint color in the home from a wall, a piece of furniture or even a plant and take that information to paint retailer for correct matching. Industrial applications could include replacement of the expensive and inaccurate spectrophotometers installed in most paint retailers, or the ability to correctly color metal roofing or siding materials prior to them being manufactured or ordered.

Printing color verification is another application of the technology for accurately verifying the color on a particular printing job before thousands of prints are run. The ChromaID can also differentiate between flat, eggshell, semi-gloss and gloss finishes, something impossible to do with a spectrophotometer.

SECURITY BADGING, IDENTIFICATION CARDS, DOCUMENTS AND CURRENCY

Governments are increasingly vulnerable to counterfeiting, terrorism and other security threats at least in part because currencies, identity and security cards and other official documents can be counterfeited, often with relative ease. Havocscope, a company that collects black market intelligence and identifies security threats, reports that they believe there are over 1 million fake ID's in use in the United States.

The physical security and access control market is experiencing a major shift toward intellectual property-based solutions. Until now most of the security solutions were analog, but intellectual property-based solutions have started to garner more confidence in the market. This shift is influencing equipment purchases, upgrades, processes and training. The US government's decision to deploy an integrated, agency-wide, common smart card platform may continue to raise the awareness of smart card technology and hence increase the demand for contactless smart card proximity readers in the public and private sectors alike.

Visualant, with its digital platform including software, is ideally positioned for this trend.

According to the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement, document and benefit fraud poses a severe threat to national security and public safety because it creates a vulnerability that may enable terrorists, criminals and illegal aliens to gain entry to and remain in the United States. In 2013, almost 40 million "travel" documents were reported as lost or stolen since 2002, according to Interpol.

Maintaining the integrity of the U.S. passport is essential to the State Department's efforts to protect U.S. citizens from terrorists, criminals and others. The State Department issued approximately 8.8 million passports in fiscal year 2004. During the same year, the States' Bureau of Diplomatic Security arrested about 500 individuals for passport fraud, and about 300 persons were convicted. Passport fraud is often intended to facilitate other crimes, including illegal immigration, drug trafficking, and alien smuggling.

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The low initial and maintenance costs of the Visualant ChromaID technology, together with the robustness and accuracy of the system, could create opportunities for other innovative applications. This innovation may involve, among other things, the mode and location of the sensor head, or the form factor of the unit.

Internal testing performed by Visualant on various currency papers, document papers and currency inks have indicated that the technology can accurately detect minute differences in the properties of the papers and inks allowing the counterfeit currency or document to be easily identified using a low cost Chroma ID scanner in either a hand held form factor or incorporated into an ATM type device. The ChromaID scan is very fast. It could be incorporated in a currency counter, for example, as each complete scan may take as little as 0.006 seconds.

The ChromaID solution can be used for all types of identification and official documents, such as passports; lawful permanent resident, or "green" cards; visas; drivers' licenses; Social Security cards; military identification cards; national transportation cards; security cards for access to sensitive physical locations; and other important identity cards, official documents and security-related cards.

TAGGANTS AND CHEMICAL IDENTIFIERS

The idea of using an invisible chemical marker either as a coating or incorporated into a part or product has been successfully tested in our laboratory using the ChromaID technology. The project involved using a unique chemical compound, often referred to as a taggant, in a batch of PVC security badges. The chemical was acquired from a taggant manufacturer and added to a batch of PVC that was then pressed and cut into standard security badge sized cards.

There was no visible difference in the off white color of a standard PVC card vs. the treated taggant card. Once the ChromaID signature for the taggant treated card was recorded, the two batches of cards were mixed together and underwent a series of ChromaID discovery scans. The ChromaID technology was able to identify the “secure” taggant treated security badge even though both cards looked identical to the naked eye.

Adding holograms, RFID chips, overlays and other secure identification methods drives the cost up substantially from a few cents to a few dollars. Adding a small amount of a chemical compound is very inexpensive yet provides very secure results. In order to produce a counterfeit card the counterfeiter would need to know (a) that there was an invisible marker, (b) what the chemical was, (c) what the concentration of the chemical was and (d) what the proprietary ChromaID signature was, making it very difficult process for the counterfeiter.

These taggant agents could be incorporated into the material that the part was made of or applied as a low cost coating over parts, in packing tape, in plastic packaging, in credit cards, etc.

There are two distinct advantages of the ChromaID technology over other methods such as DNA certification. The cost would be lower for the chemical taggant to be added to the product and there would be virtually no waiting for results. The ChromaID reader would provide immediate feedback as to whether or not the part is authentic. In conjunction with a DNA test, a two-tier authentication methodology could be developed using the Chroma ID technology as a primary test and a DNA test as a secondary test.

MICROCIRCUITS AND OTHER ELECTRONICS

According to the research firm IHS Inc., counterfeit semiconductors have proliferated through corporations and the military and are a \$169 billion risk to the electronics supply chain.

The global trade in recycled electronics parts is enormous and growing rapidly, driven by a confluence of cost pressures, increasingly complex supply chains and the huge growth in the amount of electronic waste disposed around the world, especially Asia. Recycled parts, relabeled and sold as new, threaten not only military systems but also commercial transportation systems, medical devices and systems, and the computers and networks that run financial markets and communications systems. The vast majority of counterfeits discovered in military equipment are semiconductors, the stamp-sized silicon wafers that act as the “brains” of nearly every type of modern electronic system. According to an article in Defense One, the U.S. military is an important consumer of these products; a single F-35 Joint Strike Fighter jet is controlled by more than 2,500 semiconductors.

The United States military and the federal government’s national security agencies have faced significant counterfeiting of electronic chips, chipsets and components. In a government-mandated survey of companies involved in the avionics electronics supply chain, the Commerce Department’s Bureau of Industry and Security found 7,383 electronics counterfeit incidents during 2008. This was an increase from the 5,747 incidents reported in 2007.

The ChromaID technology could be utilized as counterfeit detection system through a coating and scanning methodology. If the surface of the microchip is not unique enough on its own, a clear coating containing a unique chemical identifier could be applied to the product. When scanned with the ChromaID device it would return the correct ChromaID signature in real time. Some manufacturers are currently using DNA as an authentication methodology for microchips; however, this requires laboratory testing and verification which can take 24 hours or more.

PRINTING AND PACKAGING

The scourge of counterfeiting in packaging has greatly intensified in recent years. Counterfeiting has spiked, causing detrimental health concerns for consumers, safety concerns for law enforcement agencies, and financial concerns for businesses worldwide. As a result, the global anti-counterfeit packaging market is estimated to reach approximately \$128.6 billion by the year 2019, according to the August 2014 issue of the publication *Markets and Markets*.

Billions of dollars per year are at stake for companies as they seek ways to ensure that the products sold with their logos and branding are authorized and authentic. The proliferation of counterfeiting requires brand owners and their converter/printer partners to work together to create a multi-layered protection plan so that their packaging and labels protect their brands and deter those trying to profit at their (and their reputation's) expense.

Counterfeiters have become so good at their unlawful activity that spotting the difference between legitimate and counterfeit products can be daunting. These criminals have many ways to subvert legitimate brands and they are capable of using legitimate packaging with certain knock off products.

As we say at Visualant, a counterfeiter cannot counterfeit what they cannot see. Our ability to see colors outside the humanly visible portion of the color spectrum could significantly reduce counterfeiting. That, combined with our ability to randomize what we are referring to in our proprietary database, could further frustrate counterfeiters and make our approach virtually "unhackable."

There are several areas where the ChromaID technology is applicable to protecting products in packaging. As mentioned above, unique chemicals or taggants that are invisible to the naked eye can be added to packaging material for minimal cost. Some current technology uses a fluorescent light that causes the packaging material to glow red or green. This technology has already been compromised by counterfeiters around the world. Using the same methods, but using a ChromaID scanner for verification could result in a very accurate outcome that is extremely difficult to counterfeit. We have been working on an informal basis with taggant manufacturers on developing these solutions that could be added to packaging material, plastic wrap or plastic sealing tape, all with no visible indication that they have unique properties that a counterfeiter might detect.

Visualant was recently granted a patent for a technology called "invisible bar coding." Because the ChromaID technology looks at light outside the humanly visible spectrum the technology, can "see" information that is invisible to the naked eye. Most bar code printers can produce color information outside the visible spectrum. This information can then be used to not only authenticate a barcode label on a product package but also enhance the amount information that can be stored on that label.

CONSUMER PRODUCTS

ChromaID is a platform technology. A ChromaID scanner connected to a smartphone via a Bluetooth connection or embedded in a smartphone or tablet would provide the opportunity for the development of numerous applications. Several ideas for consumer applications of the ChromaID technology have been suggested. One example is a hand-held paint color checker for use by homeowners, interior designers and paint manufacturers. The form factor could be a small scanner that could connect to a cell phone via Bluetooth connectivity. An application on the phone could then provide color matching and identification on that mobile device. Another application might be for food safety, food quality or the protein and fat content of some foods. Another could be used to test the ripeness of a selected fruit or vegetable at the grocery store or in the field. Cosmetic skin color matching is yet another potential application of the ChromaID technology in the consumer market space.

Counterfeit items are a significant and growing problem with all kinds of consumer packaged goods, especially in the retail and apparel industries. According to Havoscope, the counterfeit clothing and shoes market were worth \$24 billion in 2013. We have developed and are currently marketing a number of solutions aimed at brand protection and authentication for the retail and apparel industries, including the clothing, accessories, fragrances and cosmetics segments.

HOMELAND SECURITY

There are several possible applications for the ChromaID technology in the Homeland Security market. Currently spectrophotometry is used for detection and identification of explosives or toxins. We believe a ChromaID scanner would be a low cost, field-deployable method for doing the same work in real time.

As mentioned under Security Badging, the ChromaID scanner could be used to create invisible markers in security badges or driver's licenses, and on equipment and other applications that require high security. In many cases just adding a simple but invisible chemical to a security badge provides a significantly more secure badge for a minimal increase in cost.

In 2011, a U.S. Commerce Department report indicated separate cases of counterfeiting rose to 9,356 in 2010 from 3,868 in 2005. In 2008, Robert P. Ernst, who led research into counterfeit parts for the U.S. Navy's Aging Aircraft Program, claimed that as much as 15 percent of all of the replacements the Pentagon was purchasing could be considered counterfeit.

On September 9, 2010, Homeland Security Newswire published an article "*Fake chips from China threaten U.S. military systems*" in which a U.S. Chamber of Commerce estimate finds that the global market for counterfeit electronics may be as large as \$100 billion. While these references include daunting statistics, the underlying problem has not changed because there was no satisfactory technological solution. Senate hearings in November 2011 revealed the discovery of over 1,800 incidents, totaling over 1 million parts, of counterfeit electronic parts in the defense supply chain. According to the semiconductor industry association anti-counterfeiting task force, counterfeiting results in a \$7.5 billion loss in revenue annually as well as a loss of 11,000 U.S. jobs.

PROCESS CONTROL

Spectrophotometers have been used in production and manufacturing process control applications for many years. These devices are generally quite large and expensive, limiting where they can be used in a production environment and how many can be cost justified. In internal laboratory testing, using a potential customer's coating samples, the ChromaID technology was very accurate in determining the "cure level" of a coating applied over a substrate in terms of whether the coating was properly cured, under-cured or over-cured.

The ChromaID scanner was applied to all five samples and each sample had a unique ChromaID signature. This meant that each sample was uniquely identifiable with the ChromaID technology even though all of the samples were the same "color." The samples had been provided to Visualant for testing with anonymous markings A, B, C, D and E.

When we informed the customer of the test results and that each sample had a unique ChromaID signature or identity, they informed us that samples A and B were under-cured, C and D were properly cured and F was over-cured. These results meant that they could compare the ChromaID signature profiles to determine if the coating had been properly cured. This example is one instance where the technology can be applied. The applications in food processing, drug manufacture, parts production and other applications can deploy a lower cost and highly accurate sensing technology to improve the production process by detecting problems in the production line on a real time basis.

MEDICAL DIAGNOSTICS

The American Diabetes Association has determined that the cost of diabetes in the US was \$245 billion in 2012, as compared to a total cost of \$174 billion in 2007.

The development of a non-invasive, lower cost, easy to use blood glucose testing device is an area that Visualant is pursuing. It is known that UV frequencies of light are able to penetrate beneath the skin for blood analysis applications. Additionally, the ChromaID scanner / sensor could potentially access a developed library of skin conditions and scan a person's skin to determine the likelihood of a mole being cancerous or not.

Other medical detection applications of the technology may be to scan a patient as they enter the emergency room to detect if they are sick or have other medical conditions that they are unaware of prior to entering the hospital.

Sales and Marketing

We currently have one employee directly engaged in sales and marketing. This employee also manages the activities of several independent business development contractors with relationships in specific vertical markets and fields of use. We also collaborate with our business development partners at IDMC and Sumitomo. We expect to hire additional sales directors and/or consultants to assist us with sales and marketing efforts with respect to our target vertical markets in the areas of pharmaceuticals, printing and packaging and consumer asset marking. Our TransTech subsidiary has five people involved in sales and marketing.

Development of License, Royalty and Other Opportunities

Our plan is to develop license and royalty producing opportunities and partners, including major companies in the US, Europe and Asia. We expect to expand our patent portfolio by continually extending the reach and application of our intellectual property.

Our first major license was signed May 31, 2012 with Sumitomo. Our Business Development team is pursuing other license opportunities with customers in our target markets.

Our Acquisition of Visualant Related Assets of the RATLab LLC

On June 7, 2011, we closed the acquisition of all Visualant related assets of the RATLab, namely the rights to the medical field of use of the Chroma ID technology. The RATLab is a Seattle based research and development laboratory created by Dr. Tom Furness, founder and Director of the HITLab International, with labs at Seattle, University of Canterbury in New Zealand, and the University of Tasmania in Australia. With this acquisition, we consolidated all intellectual property relating to the ChromaID technology, except for environmental field of use which was held by Javelin LLC and which was acquired separately (see below). We acquired these assets of the RATLab for (i) 1,000,000 shares of our common stock at closing valued at \$0.20 per share, the price during the negotiation of this agreement; (ii) payment of \$250,000; and (iii) payment of the outstanding promissory note owing to Mr. Furness in the amount of \$65,000 with accrued interest of \$24,675.

On October 23, 2008, the Company and RATLab entered into definitive agreements which provides for a non-commercial non-exclusive license of the Company's technology to RATLab for the purpose of continuing research and development with a license back to the Company for enhancements that are developed. Further, an exclusive license was entered into between the Company and RATLab for selected fields of use.

Our Acquisition of Environmental Field of Use Rights from Javelin LLC

On July 31, 2012, we closed the acquisition of all rights to the ChromaID technology in the environmental field of use from Javelin LLC. We acquired these assets of Javelin for (i) 1,250,000 shares of our common stock valued at \$0.13 per share, the price during the negotiation of the acquisition agreement; and (ii) \$100,000 in cash, with \$20,000 payable at closing and \$80,000 to be paid in four equal installments over a period of eight months, all of which have now been paid.

Our Acquisition of TransTech Systems, Inc.

In June 2010 we acquired our wholly owned subsidiary, TransTech Systems, Inc., based in Aurora, Oregon. TransTech is a distributor of products, including systems solutions, components and consumables, for employee and personnel identification in government and the private sector, document authentication, access control, and radio frequency identification. TransTech provides these products and services, along with marketing and business development assistance to a growing channel of value-added resellers and system integrators throughout North America.

TransTech provides its channel partners pre-and post-sales support in the industry. Technical Services covers training and installation support, in-warranty repair, out of warranty repair, and spares programs. Our Customer Service team, provides full sales, configuration and design, and logistics services. An increasing number of manufacturers are turning to TransTech Systems for channel development and introduction of their products to our market space.

We closed the acquisition of TransTech on June 8, 2010. We acquired our 100% interest in TransTech by issuing a Promissory Note to James Gingo, the President and sole stockholder of TransTech, in the amount of \$2,300,000, plus interest at the rate of three and one-half percent per annum from the date of the Note. The Note was secured by a security interest in the stock and assets of TransTech, and was payable over a period of three years. The final balance of \$1,000,000 on the Note and accrued interest of \$30,397 were paid to Mr. Gingo on June 12, 2013, to complete payment of the purchase price for the TransTech stock.

On June 8, 2010 in connection with the acquisition of TransTech, we issued a total of 3,800,000 shares of restricted common stock of the Company to James Gingo, Jeff Kruse and Steve Waddle, executives of TransTech, and Paul Bonderson, a TransTech investor. The parties valued the shares in this transaction at \$76,000 or \$0.02 per share, the closing bid price during negotiations.

This acquisition is expected to accelerate market entry and penetration through well-operated and positioned dealers of security and authentication systems, thus creating a natural distribution channel for products featuring the company's proprietary ChromaID technology.

TransTech Products

TransTech products include:

ID Systems & Components: Provision of ID personalization systems to the security industry. These systems include components such as ID cards, printers, software, supplies, data collection devices, document scanners, photo capture products, document authentication devices, and signature capture products.

Logical and Physical Access Control: Logical access readers used for logging onto computer networks and VPNs, physical access control readers used to gain access into buildings or secure areas, software such as visitor management & temporary card solutions, and additional applications outside of security.

Radio Frequency Identification and Tracking: These products include RF antennas, readers, cards, tags, labels, tracking software, systems integration software and even video surveillance cameras to tie video clips of the asset or article movement to the personnel using them or to record other events surrounding asset and article movement.

Kiosk printers for the self service industry – The self service industry is expanding from ATM's and grocery store check-out lines to fully integrated systems for paying bills, depositing cash or checks, and using financial services. TransTech provides Kiosk card printers. The mechanical functions of the printers are the same as a standard desktop card printer but typically do not have the protective housing and may come with much higher volume feeder capacities.

TransTech Markets

TransTech's markets include:

Regions: Revenues are derived from over 400 resellers and national accounts in the United States.

Route to Market: TransTech's focus is on its reseller channel. Approximately 90% of sales are through the reseller channel and government prime vendors. The remaining approximately 10% is direct to end users.

Distribution Network Development: TransTech is exploring a closer position with its direct channel for tighter market feedback, insurance against manufacturer's policies, and for financial benefits. This exploration includes partnering, LLCs, Joint Ventures, and potential acquisitions.

Applications and Verticals: The primary use of TransTech products is for security applications. These fit within many verticals, including but not limited to, commercial industries, manufacturing, distribution, transportation, government, health care, education, entertainment. In recent years there has been growth into several non-security applications such as gaming/player's cards, loyalty cards, gift cards, direct marketing, certifications, amusement, payment, and guest cards.

Key TransTech Partners

Customers: We currently do not have any customer concentrations where one customer exceeds 10% of net revenues on an annual basis.

Suppliers: Evolis, Fargo, Ultra Electronics - Magicard Division and NiSCA are major vendors whose products account for approximately 70% of TransTech's revenue. TransTech buys, packages and distributes products from these vendors after issuing purchase orders. Our products do not have any limit on availability, subject to proper payment of outstanding invoices.

TransTech Distribution Methods

Distribution is fragmented in the security and authentication marketplace. There are large companies who increasingly sell directly to customers via the Internet and smaller regional and national distributors who sell to these same customers and provide value added services and support. Often called value added resellers or VARs, distributors such as TransTech work hard to maintain their customer relationships through the provision of outstanding service and support.

The Visualant technology will be primarily sold as INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, licensing and component parts of third party solutions and products. The sales and business development efforts are therefore focused on developing business relationships with those potential customers who have a need for faster, more accurate and lower cost discovery, authentication and verification of surfaces or substances via the spectral pattern creation, recording and storage capabilities provided by the Visualant ChromaID technology. These applications may be in the industrial, commercial or government security sector but the end user products most likely will be produced by a third party incorporating the Visualant scan head component as a part of the overall product.

We should be able to leverage our TransTech channel of distribution and obtain a speed to market advantage. At the same time, where appropriate, Visualant expects to utilize broad global channels of distribution for the ChromaID technology. We also expect to enter into joint ventures with co-development partners who may have their own channels of distribution.

Our Competition

While we have not seen any direct competition to the patented ChromaID technology and are not aware of any direct competitors using technology with the same or similar capabilities as the Visualant Spectral Pattern Matching technology in the security and authentication marketplace, there are several indirect competitors in the form of other methods for determining the authenticity of products and people. These competitive products include the use of RFID chips, holograms, iris scans, fingerprints, taggants and other means of determining whether a person or product is authentic.

Competitors to the ChromaID technology include major corporations focused on the spectrophotometer industry such as Perkin Elmer, Ocean Optics and Fisher Thermo Scientific. The use of light for analysis and testing is a multi-billion dollar industry driven by these and other corporations. New entrants, such as SCiO, use light to perform certain specific tasks. We are not aware of any legacy company or new entrant that possesses the breakthrough foundational technology embodied in the patents which cover ChromaID and its many applications.

There are competitors who do use spectroscopy and IR light to sense and validate various substances. While these methods are not identical to Chroma ID technology, they are functional, but at a relatively higher price. The FDA recently developed an internal product for checking on illegal drugs, and companies like Thermo Scientific and Centice are using Raman light scattering technologies to analyze various substances confirming that the market is interested in the light identification solutions. The previously mentioned products, however, are large and expensive, costing over \$10,000 for each product. Many companies compete in the security and authentication marketplace with various solutions, many of which perform well. We believe that we can provide an accurate, cost effective component which will add value to customers looking for additional inexpensive redundancies to solve their security and authentication problems.

TransTech faces direct competition from OEMs and manufacturers selling directly to end users/customers and from other distributors of both the same products as TransTech distributes and competing products.

Intellectual Property and Proprietary Rights

We rely on a combination of patent, trademark, and trade secret laws, confidentiality procedures and licensing arrangements to protect our intellectual property rights.

Government Regulation

Our ChromaID technology may have a number of potential applications in fields of use which require prior governmental regulatory approval before the technology can be introduced to the marketplace. For example, the Company is exploring the use of its ChromaID technology for certain medical diagnostic applications. If it were to be successful in developing medical applications of its technology, prior approval by the FDA and other governmental regulatory bodies may be required before the technology could be introduced into the marketplace.

Properties and Operating Leases

We are obligated under various non-cancelable operating leases for their various facilities and certain equipment.

Corporate Offices

Our executive office is located at 500 Union Street, Suite 420, Seattle, Washington, USA, 98101. We lease 2,244 square feet and our net monthly payment is \$2,535, through the expiration date of May 31, 2015. We believe our facilities are adequate for our foreseeable needs.

TransTech Facilities

TransTech is located at 12142 NE Sky Lane, Suite 130, Aurora, OR 97002. TransTech leases a total of approximately 9,750 square feet of office and warehouse space for its administrative offices, product inventory and shipping operations. In March 2011, the lease was extended for a five year term at a monthly rental of \$4,751. There are two additional five year renewals available with a set accelerating increase of 10% per 5 year term.

Employees

As of March 31, 2015, we had 16 full-time employees. Our senior management is located in the Seattle, Washington office. None of our employees is subject to a collective bargaining agreement or represented by a trade or labor union. We believe that we have a good relationship with our employees.

Legal Proceedings

We may from time to time become a party to various legal proceedings arising in the ordinary course of our business. We are currently not a party to any pending legal proceeding that is not ordinary routine litigation incidental to our business.

MANAGEMENT

Directors and Executive Officers

The following table sets forth certain information about our current directors and executive officers:

| Name | Age | Director/ Executive Officer |
|----------------------------|-----|--|
| Directors- | | |
| Ronald P. Erickson | 71 | Chairman of the Board, Chief Executive Officer and President (1) |
| Jon Pepper | 63 | Director (2) |
| Ichiro Takesako | 55 | Director |
| Timothy Londergan, PhD | 42 | Director (3) |
| Donald Schlosser | 63 | Director (3)(4) |
| Executive Officers- | | |
| Mark E. Scott | 61 | Chief Financial Officer and Secretary |
| Todd Martin Sames | 61 | Executive Vice President of Business Development |
| Jeffrey Kruse | 56 | President of TransTech Systems, Inc. |

(1) Chairman of the Nominations and Governance Committee.

(2) Chairman of the Compensation Committee

(3) Timothy Londergan and Donald Schlosser will become directors upon the listing of our common stock and warrants on The NASDAQ Capital Market and the closing of this offering.

(4) Donald Schlosser will become Chairman of the Audit Committee upon the listing of our common stock and warrants on The NASDAQ Capital Market and the closing of this offering.

All directors hold office until their successors are duly appointed or until their earlier resignation or removal.

Ronald P. Erickson has been a director and officer of Visualant since April 2003. He was appointed as our CEO and President in November 2009 and as Chairman of the Board in February 2015. Previously, Mr. Erickson was our President and Chief Executive Officer from September 2003 through August 2004, and was Chairman of the Board from August 2004 until May 2011.

A senior executive with more than 30 years of experience in the high technology, telecommunications, micro-computer, and digital media industries, Mr. Erickson was the founder of Visualant. He is formerly Chairman, CEO and Co-Founder of Blue Frog Media, a mobile media and entertainment company; Chairman and CEO of eCharge Corporation, an Internet-based transaction procession company, Chairman, CEO and Co-founder of GlobalTel Resources, a provider of telecommunications services; Chairman, Interim President and CEO of Egghead Software, Inc. a software reseller where he was an original investor; Chairman and CEO of NBI, Inc.; and Co-founder of MicroRim, Inc. the database software developer. Earlier, Mr. Erickson practiced law in Seattle and worked in public policy in Washington, DC and New York, NY. Additionally, Mr. Erickson has been an angel investor and board member of a number of public and private technology companies. In addition to his business activities, Mr. Erickson serves on the Board of Trustees of Central Washington University where he received his BA degree. He also holds a MA from the University of Wyoming and a JD from the University of California, Davis. He is licensed to practice law in the State of Washington.

Mr. Erickson is our founder and was appointed as a director because of his extensive experience in developing technology companies.

Ichiro Takesako has served as a director since December 2012. Mr. Takesako has held executive positions with Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd since 1983. Mr. Takesako graduated from Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan where he majored in Social Science and graduated with a Degree of Bachelor of Social Science.

In the past five years, Mr. Takesako has held the following executive position in Sumitomo and its affiliates:

- June 2008: appointed as General Manager of Sales and Marketing Department of Micro Technology Division
- April 2009: appointed as General Manager of Overseas Business Department of Micro Technology Division, in charge of M&A activity of certain business segment and assets of Aviza Technology, Inc.
- July 2010: appointed as Executive Director of Sumitomo Process Technology Systems, 100% owned subsidiary of Sumitomo stationed in Newport, Wales
- August 2011: appointed as General Manager, Corporate Strategic Planning Group
- April 2013: appointed as General Manager of Business Development Department
- April 2014: appointed Chief Executive Officer of M2M Technologies, Inc., a subsidiary of Sumitomo.

Mr. Takesako was appointed as a Director based on his position with Sumitomo and Sumitomo's strategic partnership with Visualant.

Jon Pepper has served as an independent director since April 2006. Mr. Pepper founded Pepcom in 1980, and continues as the founding partner of Pepcom, an industry leader at producing press-only technology showcase events around the country. Prior to that, Mr. Pepper started the DigitalFocus newsletter, a ground-breaking newsletter on digital imaging that was distributed to leading influencers worldwide. Mr. Pepper has been closely involved with the high technology revolution since the beginning of the personal computer era. He was formerly a well-regarded journalist and columnist; his work on technology subjects appeared in *The New York Times*, *Fortune*, *PC Magazine*, *Men's Journal*, *Working Woman*, *PC Week*, *Popular Science* and many other well-known publications. Pepper was educated at Union College in Schenectady, New York and the Royal Academy of Fine Arts in Copenhagen.

Mr. Pepper was appointed as a director because of his marketing skills with technology companies.

Timothy Londergan, PhD will be appointed as a director upon the listing of our common stock and warrants on The NASDAQ Capital Market and the closing of this offering. He is currently the CEO of Benemilk Oy, a joint venture between Raisio Oyj and Intellectual Ventures. Benemilk is focused on innovation and licensing in the animal feed sector. Prior to Benemilk, Dr. Londergan was Portfolio Manager and Head of Commercial Development for the Invention Development Fund (IDF) at Intellectual Ventures. His team was responsible for coordinating and driving IDF's global monetization strategies, structures, and partner programs. Prior to this assignment, Dr. Londergan was a co-founder of nanotechnology company Lumera (now Gigoptix (NYSE: GIG)) where he served in both technology and marketing roles. While at Lumera, Dr. Londergan was responsible for launching Lumera-subsiary Plexera Bioscience, where he served as President and COO. He previously held R&D roles at the University of Washington as well as Xerox Corporation (NYSE: XRX). Dr. Londergan earned a bachelor's degree in chemistry from St. Bonaventure University and a doctorate in organic chemistry from the University of Southern California. Dr. Londergan holds numerous patents and has published articles over a broad range of topics.

Dr. Londergan was appointed as a director based on his previous position with IDF and Intellectual Ventures' strategic partnership with Visualant, his work in the optical field and also because of his deep background in technology and marketing.

Donald Schlosser will be appointed as a director upon the listing of our common stock and warrants on The NASDAQ Capital Market and the closing of this offering. He has served as the Chief Financial Officer for several companies, most recently at Varolii Corporation, a software-as-a-service provider enabling companies to communicate effectively with their customers from March 2002 to June 2007, and again from January 2013 to July 2014, when the company was sold to Nuance Communications (NUAN). Prior to that, Mr. Schlosser was Chief Financial Officer of VisionCompass, Inc., a U.S. enterprise software startup, Myrio, a startup developing and marketing IP-based video services, and ConneXt, a spinoff of Puget Sound Energy to develop and commercialize customer information and billing systems for the utility industry. Previously, Mr. Schlosser held various positions at AEI Music Network, King Broadcasting Company, Arthur D. Little and Cathay Trust Company in Bangkok, Thailand. He has a bachelor's degree from the University of Washington and an MBA from the University of Washington.

Mr. Schlosser was appointed as a director because of his extensive experience as a Chief Financial Officer, as well as his other relevant business knowledge and financial expertise.

Other Executive Officers

Mark E. Scott been our Chief Financial Officer, Secretary and Treasurer since May 2010. Mr. Scott has significant financial, capital market and relations experience in public microcap companies. He currently serves as a member of the Board of Directors and Secretary of GrowLife, Inc., a publicly traded cultivation services provider, since May 2014, as Chairman of its Audit Committee since June 2014 and as its Consulting Chief Financial Officer since July 2014.

Mr. Scott was Chief Financial Officer of U.S. Rare Earths, Inc., a consulting position he held from December 2011 to April 2014, and Chief Financial Officer of Sonora Resources Corporation, a consulting position he held from June 2011 to August 2014. Mr. Scott was Chief Financial Officer, Secretary and Treasurer of WestMountain Gold from February 2011 to December 2013 and was a consultant to that company from December 2010 to February 2011. Mr. Scott previously served as Chief Financial Officer and Secretary of IA Global, Inc. (NASDAQ: IAQ) from October 2003 to June 2011. Previously, he held executive financial positions with Digital Lightwave (NASDAQ: DGL); Network Access Solutions; and Teltronics, Inc. He has also held senior financial positions at Protel, Inc., Crystals International, Inc., Ranks Hovis McDougall, LLP and Britannia Sportswear, and worked at Arthur Andersen. Mr. Scott is also a certified public accountant and received a Bachelor of Arts in Accounting from the University of Washington.

Todd Martin Sames joined the Company as Vice President, Business Development in September 2012. Mr. Sames was appointed Executive Vice President, Business Development in March 2015. Mr. Sames is responsible for global business development and sales of the ChromaID technology, customer relations and creating new licensing agreements resulting in the commercialization of Visualant's technology across a wide range of applications with device and equipment manufacturers in several business verticals.

Mr. Sames brings over 25 years of successful emerging technology sales and sales management experience in the areas of enterprise software, audio and video conferencing and networking solutions to corporate clients. From 2010 to 2012, Mr. Sames held a Business Unit Director position at INX, focused on unified communications and collaboration solutions for Fortune 1000 clients. From 2007 to 2010, Mr. Sames held a Regional Management position at BT Conferencing, Video. Prior to that, Mr. Sames was the original corporate sales resource for then start-up Portable Software, now Concur Technologies,

During his tenure at Egghead Software, Mr. Sames was the Midwest Regional Manager for Corporate Sales based in Chicago and ultimately Director of Corporate Relationships overseeing corporate purchasing contracts, special projects and innovative new corporate service programs. Mr. Sames has a Bachelor of Arts Degree from the University of Puget Sound and additional certifications in communications technology from Cisco Systems, Polycom, TANDBERG and other technology systems providers.

Jeffrey Kruse became President of TransTech Systems in July 2013. He joined TransTech Systems in October 2002 as TransTech's General Manager.

Mr. Kruse served as the Vice President of Business Development for Tiscor, Inc. from May 2000 to October 2002. In 2000 he also served as a Principal Consultant for Computer Task Group, Inc. (NASDAQ: CTG). From 1998 to 2000 Mr. Kruse was Vice President of Marketing for Logibro, Inc. He had joined Logibro as the Executive Vice President of their US subsidiary, Tech 7 Systems, serving in this position from 1997 to 1998. Previous to Tech 7, Mr. Kruse held the position of Executive Vice President of Intelligent Controls, Inc. from 1985 to 1997. Prior employment includes various positions in finance and operations. Mr. Kruse has an MBA from the University of Puget Sound and a BA from Whitworth University.

Board Composition and Appointment of Directors

Our business is managed under the direction of our Board of Directors. Our Board of Directors currently consists of three members, increasing to five members upon the listing of our common stock and warrants on The NASDAQ Capital Market. Our Board of Directors conducts its business through meetings of our Board of Directors and our committees. During 2014, our current Board of Directors held three meetings and acted by unanimous written consent four times. All members of our current Board of Directors attended 75% of the meetings of our board during 2014.

There are no family relationships among any of our directors or executive officers.

Communication with our Board of Directors

Our stockholders and other interested parties may communicate with our Board of Directors by sending written communication in an envelope addressed to "Board of Directors" in care of the Secretary, 500 Union Street, Suite 420, Seattle, Washington 98101.

Director Independence

Our Board of Directors has determined that, of our directors, Jon Pepper, Timothy Londergan, PhD, and Donald Schlosser satisfy the independence requirements of the SEC and the NASDAQ Capital Market and are considered independent directors. In making such determinations, our Board of Directors considered the relationships that each such non-employee director has with us and all other facts and circumstances that our Board of Directors deemed relevant in determining their independence, including the beneficial ownership of our capital stock by each non-employee director.

Code of Ethics

We have adopted conduct and ethics standards titled the code of ethics, which is available at www.visualant.net. These standards were adopted by our Board of Directors to promote transparency and integrity. The standards apply to our Board of Directors, executives and employees. Waivers of the requirements of our code of ethics or associated policies with respect to members of our Board of Directors or executive officers are subject to approval of the full board.

Board Committees

The Board has three standing committees to facilitate and assist the Board in the execution of its responsibilities. The committees are currently the Audit Committee, the Nominations and Governance Committee, and the Compensation Committee. The Committees were formed in July 2010. The Audit and Compensation Committees are comprised solely of non-employee, independent directors. The Nominations and Governance Committee has one management director, Ronald Erickson, as Chairman. Charters for each committee are available on our website at www.visualant.net. The discussion below describes current membership for each of the standing Board committees.

Audit Committee

Our Board of Directors established an audit committee in July 2010. Our audit committee provides assistance to the Board in fulfilling its responsibilities to our stockholders relating to: (1) maintaining the integrity of our financial reports, including our compliance with legal and regulatory requirements, (2) the independent auditor's qualifications and independence, (3) the performance of our internal audit function in cooperation with the independent auditors, and (4) the preparation of the report required by the rules of the SEC to be included in our annual proxy statement. Our audit committee is directly responsible for the appointment, compensation and oversight of the independent auditors (including the resolution of any disagreements between management and the independent auditors regarding financial reporting), approving in advance all auditing services, and approving in advance all non-audit services provided by the independent auditors. The independent auditors report directly to the committee. In addition, our audit committee is to review our annual and quarterly financial reports in conjunction with the independent auditors and financial management.

Effective upon the listing of our common stock and warrants on The NASDAQ Capital Market, the audit committee will be composed of three directors – Donald Schlosser, Timothy Londergan PhD and Jon Pepper. Donald Schlosser will be the Chairman of the Audit Committee and our "audit committee financial expert" as defined in the rules and regulations of the SEC. The current audit committee meet five times in 2014.

Our Board of Directors has adopted a written charter for the audit committee, a copy of which is available on our website at www.visualant.net

Compensation Committee

Our Board of Directors established a compensation committee in July 2010. Our compensation committee is responsible for: (1) reviewing and approving goals and objectives underlying the compensation of our Chief Executive Officer, evaluating the CEO's performance in accordance with those goals and objectives, and determining and approving the CEO's compensation; (2) recommending to the board the compensation of executive officers other than the CEO, subject to board approval; (3) administering any incentive compensation and equity-based plans, subject to board approval; (4) preparing the compensation report required by the rules and regulations of the SEC for inclusion in our annual proxy statement; and (5) periodically reviewing the results of our executive compensation and perquisite programs and making recommendations to the board with respect to annual compensation (salaries, fees and equity) for our executive officers and non-employee directors.

Effective upon the listing of our common stock and warrants on The NASDAQ Capital Market, the Compensation Committee will be composed of three directors – Jon Pepper, Timothy Londergan PhD and Donald Schlosser. Mr. Pepper is the Chairman of the Compensation Committee. The current compensation committee did not meet in 2014.

Our Board of Directors has adopted a written charter for the compensation committee, a copy of which is available on our website at www.visualant.net.

Nominations and Governance Committee

Our Board of Directors established the nominations and governance committee in July 2010 for the purpose of: (1) assisting the board in identifying individuals qualified to become board members and recommending to the board the nominees for election as directors at the next annual meeting of stockholders; (2) assist the board in determining the size and composition of the board committees; (3) develop and recommend to the board the corporate governance principles applicable to us; and (4) serve in an advisory capacity to the board and the Chairman of the Board on matters of organization, management succession planning, major changes in our organizational and the conduct of board activities.

Effective upon the listing of our common stock and warrants on The NASDAQ Capital Market, the Nominations and Governance committee will be composed of three directors, Ronald P. Erickson, Timothy Londergan, PhD, and Jon Pepper. Mr. Erickson is Chairman of the Nominations and Governance Committee. The current nominations and governance committee did not meet during 2014.

Our Board of Directors has adopted a written charter for the nominations and governance committee, a copy of which is available on our website at www.visualant.net.

EXECUTIVE AND DIRECTOR COMPENSATION

The following table provides information concerning remuneration of the chief executive officer, the chief financial officer and another named executive officer for the fiscal years ended September, 2014 and 2013:

Summary Compensation Table

| Name | Principal Position | | Salary (\$) | Bonus (\$) | Stock Awards (\$) (6) | Option Awards (\$) (6) | All Other Compensation (\$) | Total (\$) |
|---------------------------|--|-----------|----------------|---------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|
| Salary- | | | | | | | | |
| Ronald P. Erickson (1) | Chief Executive Officer | 9/30/2014 | \$ 180,000 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 180,000 |
| | | 9/30/2013 | \$ 180,000 | \$ - | \$ 120,000 | \$ 130,000 | \$ - | \$ 430,000 |
| Mark E. Scott (2) | Chief Financial Officer Secretary | 9/30/2014 | \$ 120,000 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 120,000 |
| | | 9/30/2013 | \$ 120,000 | \$ - | \$ 20,000 | \$ 130,000 | \$ - | \$ 270,000 |
| Richard Mander, Ph.D. (3) | Chief Technology Officer | 9/30/2014 | \$ 187,500 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 12,000 | \$ 199,500 |
| | | 9/30/2013 | \$ 150,000 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 180,000 | \$ 12,000 | \$ 342,000 |
| Todd Martin Sames (4) | Vice President of Business Development | 9/30/2014 | \$ 120,000 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 13,500 | \$ - | \$ 133,500 |
| | | 9/30/2013 | \$ 120,000 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 130,000 | \$ - | \$ 250,000 |
| Jeffrey Kruse (5) | President of TransTech Systems, Inc. | 9/30/2014 | \$ 162,000 | \$ 4,500 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 6,780 | \$ 173,280 |
| | | 9/30/2013 | \$ 153,000 | \$ 3,000 | \$ - | \$ 80,000 | \$ 6,120 | \$ 242,120 |

(1) During the year ended September 30, 2014 and 2013, Mr. Erickson was paid a monthly salary of \$15,000. As of September 30, 2014, Mr. Erickson had accrued but unpaid salary of \$105,000, which is expected to be paid during the year ended September 30, 2015. This accrual was based on the tight cash flow of the Company and agreed to by Mr. Erickson, but there was no formal deferral agreement. There was no accrued interest paid on the \$105,000. The 2013 stock award amount for Mr. Erickson reflects 1,200,000 shares of restricted common stock issued by us on February 13, 2013. The restricted common stock was issued at the grant date market value of \$0.10 per share. The 2013 stock option grant amount for Mr. Erickson reflects 1,000,000 shares issued by us on March 21, 2013. The grant was issued at the grant date market value of \$0.13 per share and vested by June 6, 2013.

(2) During the year ended September 30, 2014 and 2013, Mr. Scott was paid a monthly salary of \$10,000. The 2013 stock award amount for Mr. Scott reflects 200,000 shares of restricted common stock issued by us on February 13, 2013. The restricted common stock was issued at the grant date market value of \$0.10 per share. The 2013 stock option grant amount for Mr. Scott reflects 1,000,000 shares issued by us on March 21, 2013. The grant was issued at the grant date market value of \$0.13 per share and vested by June 6, 2013.

(3) Mr. Mander was paid a monthly salary of \$12,500 from October 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013. From January 1, 2014 to September 30, 2014, Mr. Mander was paid a monthly salary of \$16,667. Mr. Mander was paid \$1,000 per month for medical expenses. The 2013 stock option grant amount for Mr. Mander reflects 1,000,000 shares issued by us on March 21, 2013. The grant was issued at the grant date market value of \$0.13 per share and will vest by June 26, 2015. In addition, another 2013 stock option grant amount for Mr. Mander reflects 500,000 shares issued by us on August 27, 2013. The grant was issued at the grant date market value of \$0.10 per share and will vest by August 26, 2016. On November 7, 2014, the Company accepted the resignation of Mr. Mander as Chief Technology Officer. Mr. Mander's stock option grants expired March 31, 2015 in connection with his resignation.

(4) During the year ended September 30, 2014 and 2013 Mr. Sames was paid a monthly salary of \$10,000. The 2014 stock option grant amount for Mr. Sames reflects 300,000 shares issued by us on April 2, 2014. The grant was issued at the grant date market value of \$0.10 per share and vested by April 1, 2016. The 2013 stock option grant amount for Mr. Sames reflects 1,000,000 shares issued by us on March 21, 2013. The grant was issued at the grant date market value of \$0.13 per share and vested by September 15, 2015. On August 9, 2012, Mr. Sames received an Offer Letter from us related to his hiring as Vice President of Business Development that was effective September 5, 2012. The Offer Letter provides for an annual salary of \$120,000. In addition, Mr. Sames received a stock option grant for 1,000,000 shares at an exercise price of \$0.13 per share. Mr. Sames is also eligible for certain employee benefit programs.

(5) Mr. Kruse was appointed as President of TransTech in July 2013. As President, Mr. Kruse was paid at the monthly rate of \$13,500 from July 2013 to September 30, 2014. Prior to July 2013, Mr. Kruse was an employee of TransTech and was paid at the monthly rate of \$12,500. The 2013 stock option grant amount for Mr. Kruse reflects \$80,000 or 800,000 shares issued by us on August 26, 2013 at the grant date market value of \$0.10 per share. The stock option grant vests in equal installments quarterly over three years. Mr. Kruse was paid bonuses of \$4,500 and \$3,000 for achieving profitability at TransTech during the years ended September 30, 2014 and 2013, respectively. Mr. Kruse also was eligible to participate in the TransTech 401k plan.

(6) These amounts reflect the grant date market value as required by Regulation S-K Item 402(n)(2), computed in accordance with FASB ASC Topic 718.

Outstanding Equity Awards as of Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2014

| Name | Option Awards | | | |
|---------------------------|---|---|----------------------------|------------------------|
| | Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options Exercisable (#) | Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options Unexercisable (#) | Option Exercise Price (\$) | Option Expiration Date |
| Ronald P. Erickson (1) | 3,000,000 | - | \$ 0.15 | 5/9/2020 |
| | 1,000,000 | - | \$ 0.13 | 6/5/2022 |
| Mark E. Scott (2) | 1,000,000 | - | \$ 0.13 | 6/5/2022 |
| Richard Mander, Ph.D. (3) | 750,000 | 250,000 | \$ 0.13 | 6/25/2017 |
| | 180,556 | 319,444 | \$ 0.10 | 8/26/2018 |
| Todd Martin Sames (4) | 694,444 | 305,556 | \$ 0.13 | 9/4/2017 |
| | 25,000 | 275,000 | \$ 0.10 | 4/1/2019 |
| Jeffrey Kruse (5) | 300,000 | - | \$ 0.09 | 6/7/2020 |
| | 86,113 | 13,887 | \$ 0.12 | 11/28/2014 |
| | 288,889 | 511,111 | \$ 0.10 | 8/26/2018 |

- (1) Mr. Erickson's stock option grants consist of (i) 3,000,000 shares which vested quarterly over two years from May 10, 2010; and (ii) 1,000,000 shares which vested quarterly over one year from June 5, 2012.
- (2) Mr. Scott's stock option grants consist of (i) 500,000 shares which vested March 21, 2013; and (ii) 500,000 shares which vested quarterly over one year from June 5, 2012.
- (3) Mr. Mander's stock option grants consist of (i) 1,000,000 shares which vest quarterly over three years from June 26, 2012; and (ii) 500,000 shares which vest quarterly over three years from August 27, 2013. Mr. Mander's stock option grants expired March 31, 2015.
- (4) Mr. Sames' stock options grants consist of (i) 1,000,000 shares which vest quarterly over three years from September 5, 2012; and (ii) 300,000 shares which vest quarterly over three years from April 1, 2014.
- (5) Mr. Kruse's stock options grants consist of (i) 300,000 shares which vested 25% at six months and 25% annually thereafter from June 8, 2010; (ii) 100,000 shares which vested quarterly over three years from November 29, 2011; (ii) 300,000 shares which vest quarterly over three years from April 1, 2014; and (iii) 800,000 shares which vest quarterly over three years from August 27, 2013.

Option Exercises and Stock Vested

Our Named Executive Officers did not exercise any stock options during the year ended September, 2014 and 2013.

Pension Benefits

We do not provide any pension benefits.

Nonqualified Deferred Compensation

We do not have a nonqualified deferral program.

Employment Agreements

We do not have employment agreements with our Named Executive Officers.

Potential Payments upon Termination or Change in Control

We do not have any potential payments upon termination or change in control with our Named Executive Officers.

Compensation of Directors

We primarily use grants of stock options to purchase our common stock as incentive compensation to attract and retain qualified candidates to serve on our Board. This compensation reflects the financial condition of our company. In setting director compensation, we consider the significant amount of time that Directors expend in fulfilling their duties to the Company as well as the skill-level required by the members of our Board. To date, we have not made any grants of stock options to our independent non-employee directors. During year then ended September 30, 2014, Ronald P. Erickson did not receive any compensation for his service as a director. The compensation disclosed in the Director Compensation Table below represents the total compensation paid to our directors during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014.

Director Compensation Table

The table below summarizes the compensation paid by us to non-employee directors during the year ended September 30, 2014.

| Name | Stock Awards | Option Awards | Other Compensation | Total |
|-----------------|--------------|---------------|--------------------|-----------|
| Marco Hegyi (1) | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 15,000 | \$ 15,000 |
| Jon Pepper | - | - | - | - |
| Ichiro Takesako | - | - | - | - |
| Total | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 15,000 | \$ 15,000 |

(1) Reflects fees paid to Marco Hegyi, Chairman of the Board, for marketing consulting during the year ended September 30, 2014. Mr. Hegyi resigned as a director in February 2015.

Our independent non-employee directors are not compensated in cash. The only compensation has been in the form of stock awards (see Director Compensation Table) and during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014, we did not make any grants of stock options to our independent non-employee directors. There is no formal stock compensation plan for independent non-employee directors.

CERTAIN RELATIONSHIPS AND RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Since March 31, 2012, we have engaged in the following reportable transactions with our directors, executive officers, holders of more than 5% of our voting securities and affiliates, or immediately family members of our directors, executive officers and holders of more than 5% of our voting securities.

Review and Approval of Related Person Transactions

We have operated under a Code of Conduct for many years. Our Code of Conduct requires all employees, officers and directors, without exception, to avoid the engagement in activities or relationships that conflict, or would be perceived to conflict, with the Company's interests or adversely affect its reputation. It is understood, however, that certain relationships or transactions may arise that would be deemed acceptable and appropriate upon full disclosure of the transaction, following review and approval to ensure there is a legitimate business reason for the transaction and that the terms of the transaction are no less favorable to the Company than could be obtained from an unrelated person.

The Audit Committee is responsible for reviewing and approving all transactions with related persons. The Company has not adopted a written policy for reviewing related person transactions. The Company reviews all relationships and transactions in which the Company and our directors and executive officers or their immediate family members are participants to determine whether such persons have a direct or indirect material interest. As required under SEC rules, transactions that are determined to be directly or indirectly material to the Company or a related person are disclosed.

Relationship with Services and License Agreement Invention Development Management Company, L.L.C.

On November 11, 2013, we entered into a Services and License Agreement with Invention Development Management Company, L.L.C. ("IDMC"), a Delaware limited liability company. IDMC is affiliated with Intellectual Ventures, which collaborates with inventors, partners with pioneering companies and invests both expertise and capital in the process of invention. On November 19, 2014, we entered into an Amendment to Services and License Agreement with IDMC. This Amendment exclusively licenses ten filed patents to us.

The Agreement required IDMC to identify and engage investors to develop new applications of our ChromaID™ development kits, present the developments to us for approval, and file at least ten patent applications to protect the developments. IDMC is responsible for the development and patent costs. We provided the development kits to IDMC at no cost and is providing ongoing technical support. In addition, to provide time for this accelerated expansion of its intellectual property we delayed the selling of the ChromaID development kits for 140 days except for certain select accounts. We have continued its business development efforts during this period and has worked with IDMC and their global business development services to secure potential customers and licensees for its technology. We shipped twenty ChromaID Lab Kits to inventors in the IDMC network during December 2013 and January 2014.

We received a worldwide, nontransferable, exclusive license to the licensed intellectual property developed under this IDMC Agreement dated November 11, 2013, during the term of the Agreement, and solely within the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use, to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer for sale products and services; (b) make improvements; and (c) grant sublicenses of any and all of the foregoing rights (including the right to grant further sublicenses).

We received a nonexclusive and nontransferrable option to acquire a worldwide, nontransferrable, nonexclusive license to the useful intellectual property held by IDMC within the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer to sell products and services and (b) grant sublicenses to any and all of the foregoing rights. The option to acquire this license may be exercised for up to two years from the effective date of the Agreement.

IDMC is providing global business development services to us or geographies not being pursued by Visualant. Also, IDMC has introduced us to potential customers, licensees, or distributors for the purpose of identifying and closing a license, sale, or distribution deal or other monetization event.

We granted to IDMC a nonexclusive, worldwide, fully paid up, nontransferable, sublicenseable, perpetual license to our intellectual property, solely outside the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer for sale products and services and (b) grant sublicenses of any and all of the foregoing rights (including the right to grant further sublicenses).

We granted to IDMC a nonexclusive, worldwide, fully paid up, royalty-free, nontransferable, nonsublicenseable, perpetual license to access and use our Technology solely for the purpose of marketing the aforementioned sublicenses to our intellectual property to third parties outside the designated fields of use.

We issued a warrant to purchase 14,575,286 shares of common stock as consideration for the exclusive intellectual property license and application development services to IDMC signed on November 11, 2013. The warrant expires November 10, 2018 and the exercise price of \$0.20 is subject to adjustment.

We agreed to pay IDMC a percentage of license revenue for the global development business services and a percentage of revenue received from any IDMC introduced company. We also have also agreed to pay IDMC a royalty when Visualant receives royalty product revenue from an IDMC introduced company.

IDMC has agreed to pay us a license fee for the nonexclusive license of our intellectual property.

The term of the exclusive intellectual property license and the nonexclusive intellectual property license commences on the effective date of November 11, 2013, and terminates when all claims of the patents expire or are held in valid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction from which no appeal can be taken.

The term of the Agreement commences on the effective date until either party terminates the Agreement at any time following the fifth anniversary of the effective date by providing at least ninety days' prior written notice to the other party.

Purchase Agreement with Special Situations and forty other Accredited Investors which closed June 14, 2013

On June 10, 2013, we entered into a Purchase Agreement, Warrants, and Registration Rights Agreement with Special Situations Technology Funds and forty other accredited investors, pursuant to which we issued 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.10 per share for a total of \$5,230,000, which amount includes the conversion of \$500,000 in outstanding debt of the Company owed to one of its officers. As part of the transaction, which closed on June 14, 2013, we issued to the investors (i) five year Series A Warrants to purchase a total of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.15 per share; and (ii) five year Series B Warrants to purchase a total of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.20 per share. We also issued 5,230,000 placement agent warrants exercisable at \$0.10 per share to GVC Capital, with an obligation to issue up to 5,230,000 additional placement agent warrants exercisable at \$0.15 per share. The placement agent warrants shall issue only upon the exercise of the Series A Warrants by the investors, and are issuable ratably based upon the number of Warrants exercised by the investors. The placement agent warrants have a term of five years from the date of closing of the transaction. The transaction was entered into to strengthen our balance sheet, complete the purchase of our TransTech subsidiary, and provide working capital to support the rapid movement of our ChromaID technology into the marketplace.

Agreements with Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd.

On May 31, 2012, we entered into a Joint Research and Product Development Agreement with Sumitomo, a publicly-traded Japanese corporation, for the commercialization of our ChromaID™ technology. On March 29, 2013, we entered into an Amendment to Joint Research and Product Development Agreement or Amended Agreement with Sumitomo. The Amended Agreement extended the Joint Development Agreement from March 31, 2013 to December 31, 2013, which expired December 31, 2013. The extension provided for continuing work between Sumitomo and Visualant focused upon advancing the ChromaID technology and market research aimed at identifying the most significant markets for the ChromaID technology. The current version of the technology, identified as Version 6D, was introduced to the marketplace as a part of our ChromaID Lab Kit during the three months ended December 31, 2013.

Sumitomo invested \$2,250,000 in exchange for 17,307,693 shares of restricted shares of common stock priced at \$0.13 per share that was funded on June 21, 2012. Sumitomo also paid the Company an initial payment of \$1 million in accordance for an exclusive License Agreement for the then extant Spectral Pattern Matching technology which covers Japan, China, Taiwan, Korea and the entirety of Southeast Asia (Burma, Indonesia, Thailand, Cambodia, Laos, Vietnam, Singapore and the Philippines). The Sumitomo License fee was recorded as revenue over the life the Joint Development Agreement and was fully recorded as of May 31, 2013.

Sumitomo is publicly traded in Japan and has operations in Japan, United States, China, United Kingdom, Canada and other parts of the world.

Related Party Transactions with Ronald P. Erickson

An affiliate of Mr. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer, Juliz I Limited Partnership, loaned us operating funds during the fiscal year 2009. The Demand Notes totaled \$34,630 and accrued interest at 8% per annum. We paid the Demand Notes plus accrued interest of \$9,708 during the year ended September 30, 2012.

Additionally, Mr. Erickson incurred expenses on behalf of the Company for a total of \$24,322 during the 2009 fiscal year. The balance was converted into a Demand Note as of September 30, 2009 and accrued interest at 8% per annum. We paid the Demand Note plus accrued interest of \$5,294 during the year ended September 30, 2012.

We recorded accounts payable- related parties as of \$0 and \$73,600 for payroll or expenses as of September 30, 2013 and September 30, 2012, respectively.

Entities affiliated with Mr. Erickson have made advances and loans to us in the total principal amount of \$960,000 on or before the date hereof at an average annual interest rate of 4.2%. In addition, Mr. Erickson and/or entities with which Mr. Erickson is affiliated also have unreimbursed 2013 expenses and unpaid salary and interest from 2013 on the outstanding principal amount of the Loans totaling approximately \$65,000 as of June 14, 2013. Mr. Erickson and related entities converted \$500,000 of the advances and loans as part of the private placement which closed June 14, 2013. The remaining amounts were paid to Mr. Erickson and related entities prior to June 30, 2013.

We have a \$200,000 Business Loan Agreement with Umpqua Bank (the "Umpqua Loan"), which currently matures on December 31, 2015 and provides for interest at 3.25% per year. The cash from the Umpqua Loan was received on January 14, 2014. Related to this Umpqua Loan, we entered into a demand promissory note for \$200,000 on January 10, 2014 with an entity affiliated with Ronald P. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer. This demand promissory note will be effective in case of a default by us under the Umpqua Loan.

We also have two other demand promissory note payable to entities affiliated with Mr. Erickson, totaling \$600,000. Each of these notes were issued between January and July 2014, provide for interest of 3% per year and currently mature on June 30, 2015. They also provide for a second lien on our assets if not repaid by June 30, 2015 or converted into convertible debentures or equity on terms acceptable to the Mr. Erickson. Mr. Erickson and/or entities with which he is affiliated also have advanced approximately \$492,000 and have unreimbursed expenses and compensation of approximately \$236,000. As a result, we currently owe Mr. Erickson, or entities with which he is affiliated, approximately \$1,328,000. Of this amount, we anticipate that \$828,000 will be repaid from the proceeds of this offering and \$500,000 will be converted into our common stock upon the closing of this offering at the public offering price for a share of common stock and issued to Mr. Erickson or entities affiliated with Mr. Erickson.

We recorded advances from Mr. Erickson of \$236,617 as of September 30, 2014 as accrued liabilities – related parties.

On January 26, 2015, Mr. Erickson cancelled 1,000,000 in previous issued stock option at \$.15 per share.

Related Party Transaction with Mark E. Scott

Mr. Mark E. Scott, our Chief Financial Officer, invested \$10,000 in the private placement which closed June 14, 2013.

On January 26, 2015, Mr. Erickson cancelled 150,000 in previous issued stock option at \$.13 per share.

Related Party Transactions with Bradley Sparks

On November 12, 2009, Mr. Sparks resigned as our Chief Executive Officer and President. He held these positions since November 2006. Mr. Sparks accrued, but was not paid, compensation of \$20,000 per month. In addition, Mr. Sparks entered into (i) a demand note dated February 27, 2007 for \$50,000 plus loan fees of \$750. Interest accrued on the note at a rate of 18% per annum, with a penalty interest rate of 30%; and (ii) a demand note dated September 30, 2009 for \$22,478. Interest accrued at 8% per annum, with a default interest rate of 12%.

On September 6, 2012, Mr. Sparks resigned from the Board of Directors. In addition, we signed a Settlement and Release Agreement or Sparks Agreement with Mr. Sparks. The Sparks Agreement required (i) payment of \$50,750 (paid) and issuance of 513,696 shares of our common stock for full payment on a note and related accrued interest of \$66,780; (ii) payment of \$39,635 to Mr. Sparks for a note, accrued interest and other unpaid expenses (paid); and (iii) issuance of 4,000,000 restricted shares of our common stock to Mr. Spark for unpaid compensation in the amount of \$721,333. The above was a full settlement of all outstanding liabilities due to Mr. Sparks.

Mr. Sparks is the cousin of Ronald Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer.

Related Party Transactions with Dr. Masahiro Kawahata and Yoshitami Arai

We paid \$195,000 for fees to Dr. Kawahata and Mr. Arai, two former Directors, as a finder fee for their services in closing the Sumitomo transactions. We paid \$60,000 on June 25, 2012 and \$135,000 on July 25, 2012. On December 28, 2012, the Board of Directors ratified the resignation of Dr. Masahiro Kawahata as an independent director effective as of November 30, 2012. On December 28, 2012, the Board ratified the resignation of Yoshitami Arai as an independent director effective as of December 26, 2012.

Indemnification

Our articles of incorporation provide that we will indemnify our directors and officers to the fullest extent permitted by Nevada law. In addition, we have an Indemnification Agreements with the current Board of Directors.

Policies and Procedures for Related Person Transactions

We have operated under a Code of Conduct and Ethics since December 28, 2012. Our Code of Conduct and Ethics requires all employees, officers and directors, without exception, to avoid the engagement in activities or relationships that conflict, or would be perceived to conflict, with our interests.

Prior to the adoption of our related person transaction policy, there was a legitimate business reason for all the related person transactions described above and we believe that, where applicable, the terms of the transactions are no less favorable to us than could be obtained from an unrelated person.

Our Audit Committee reviews all relationships and transactions in which we and our directors and executive officers or their immediate family members are participants to determine whether such persons have a direct or indirect material interest.

As required under SEC rules, transactions that are determined to be directly or indirectly material to us or a related person are disclosed.

PRINCIPAL STOCKHOLDERS

The following table sets forth certain information regarding the ownership of our common stock as of April 21, 2015 by:

- each director and nominee for director;
- each person known by us to own beneficially 5% or more of our common stock;
- each executive officer named in the summary compensation table elsewhere in this report; and
- all of our current directors and executive officers as a group.

The amounts and percentages of common stock beneficially owned are reported on the basis of regulations of the SEC governing the determination of beneficial ownership of securities. Under the rules of the SEC, a person is deemed to be a “beneficial owner” of a security if that person has or shares voting power,” which includes the power to vote or to direct the voting of such security, or has or shares “investment power,” which includes the power to dispose of or to direct the disposition of such security. A person is also deemed to be a beneficial owner of any securities of which that person has the right to acquire beneficial ownership within 60 days. Under these rules more than one person may be deemed a beneficial owner of the same securities and a person may be deemed to be a beneficial owner of securities as to which such person has no economic interest.

Unless otherwise indicated below, each beneficial owner named in the table has sole voting and sole investment power with respect to all shares beneficially owned, subject to community property laws where applicable. The address for each person shown in the table is c/o Visualant, Inc. 500 Union Street, Suite 420, Seattle Washington, unless otherwise indicated.

| | Shares Beneficially Owned | | Pro Forma As Adjusted Shares Beneficially Owned | |
|--|---------------------------|------------|--|------------|
| | Amount | Percentage | Number | Percentage |
| Directors and Officers- | | | | |
| Ronald P. Erickson (1) | 26,328,373 | 14.4% | | |
| Mark E. Scott (2) | 2,618,500 | 1.5% | | |
| Jon Pepper | 1,950,000 | 1.1% | | |
| Richard Mander (3) | - | * | | |
| Todd Martin Sames | 1,211,111 | * | | |
| Jeffrey Kruse | 1,072,222 | * | | |
| Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd./ Ichiro Takesako | 17,307,693 | 10.2% | | |
| Total Directors and Officers (7 in total) | 50,487,899 | 27.3% | | |

* Less than 1%.

(1) Includes options to purchase 3,000,000 shares of our common stock that are exercisable within 60 days, and a total of 10,000,000 Series A and B Warrants to purchase shares of our common stock that are exercisable within 60 days.

(2) Includes 1,268,500 shares of shares of common stock, options to purchase 850,000 shares of our common stock that are exercisable within 60 days and a total of 300,000 warrants to purchase shares of our common stock that are exercisable within 60 days.

(3) Reflects stock option grants for 1,500,000 shares which Mr. Mander forfeited on March 31, 2015 in connection with his resignation.

| | Shares Beneficially Owned | | Pro Forma As Adjusted Shares Beneficially Owned | |
|--|---------------------------|------------|--|------------|
| | Number | Percentage | Number | Percentage |
| Greater Than 5% Ownership | | | | |
| Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd./ Ichiro Takesako (2) | 17,307,693 | 10.2% | | |
| Special Situations Technology Funds, L.P./ Adam Stettner (3) | 47,700,000 | 23.7% | | |
| Invention Development Management Company, L.L.C. (4) | 14,575,286 | 7.9% | | |

(1) Reflects the shares beneficially owned by Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd as stated in a Schedule 13D filed with the SEC on June 23, 2012, and which has subsequently confirmed the ownership related to the private placement which closed June 14, 2013. Their address is 1-10 Fuso-cho, Amagasaki, Hyogo, Japan.

(2) Reflects the shares beneficially owned by Special Situations Technology Funds, L.P. This total includes 15,900,000 shares and a total of 31,800,000 Series A and B Warrants to purchase shares of our common stock. The address of Special Situations Technology Funds, L.P. is 527 Madison Avenue, Suite 2600, New York City, New York.

(3) Reflects a warrant to purchase 14,575,286 shares of our common stock that are exercisable within 60 days. The address for Invention Development Management, L.L.C. is 3150 139th Avenue SE, Building 4, Bellevue, Washington.

DESCRIPTION OF CAPITAL STOCK

General

The following description of our capital stock and provisions of our articles of incorporation and bylaws are summaries and are qualified by reference to our articles of incorporation, as amended and restated, and our bylaws, as amended and restated. We have filed copies of these documents with the SEC as exhibits to our registration statement, of which this prospectus forms a part.

Authorized Capital Stock

We have authorized 550,000,000 shares of capital stock, of which 500,000,000 are shares of voting common stock, par value \$0.001 per share, and 50,000,000 are shares of voting Series A Convertible Preferred Stock, par value \$0.001 per share.

Capital Stock Issued and Outstanding

As of April 21, 2015, we have issued and outstanding securities on a fully diluted basis:

- 10,865,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options outstanding as of April 21, 2015 at a weighted-average exercise price of \$0.119 per share;
- 3,500,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the conversion of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock as of April 21, 2015;
- 134,955,286 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of warrants outstanding as of April 21, 2015 at a weighted-average exercise price of \$0.179 per share;
- Up to 5,230,000 shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of placement agent warrant exercisable at \$0.15 per share. These placement agent warrants will be issued only upon the exercise of the Series A Warrants, and are issuable ratably based upon the number of Warrants exercised.
- _____ shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of warrants registered in this offering, at an exercise price of \$_____ per share;
- _____ shares of our common stock issuable upon the exercise of warrants issued to the underwriters in this offering, at an exercise price of \$_____ per share;
- 885,000 additional shares of our common stock available for future issuance as of April 21, 2015 under our 2011 Stock Incentive Plan; and
- _____ shares of our common stock issuable upon exercise of the underwriters' option to purchase additional shares of our common stock to cover over-allotments.

Voting Common Stock

Holders of our common stock are entitled to one vote for each share held on all matters submitted to a vote of stockholders and do not have cumulative voting rights for the election of directors. An election of directors by our stockholders shall be determined by a plurality of the votes cast by the stockholders entitled to vote on the election. On all other matters, the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of the stock present in person or represented by proxy and entitled to vote is required for approval, unless otherwise provided in our articles of incorporation, bylaws or applicable law. Holders of common stock are entitled to receive proportionately any dividends as may be declared by our Board of Directors, subject to any preferential dividend rights of outstanding preferred stock.

In the event of our liquidation or dissolution, the holders of common stock are entitled to receive proportionately all assets available for distribution to stockholders after the payment of all debts and other liabilities and subject to the prior rights of any outstanding preferred stock. Holders of common stock have no preemptive, subscription, redemption or conversion rights. The rights, preferences and privileges of holders of common stock are subject to and may be adversely affected by the rights of the holders of shares of any series of preferred stock that we may designate and issue in the future.

Voting Preferred Stock

On September 13, 2002, 50,000,000 shares of preferred stock with a par value of \$0.001 were authorized by the stockholders. There were no preferred shares issued and the terms had not been determined as of September 30, 2014.

On January 23, 2015 and February 23, 2015, respectively, the Board of Directors and the Nevada Secretary of State approved a Certificate of Designations, Preference and Rights for Series A Convertible Preferred Stock. The Company's Series A Preferred is \$0.10 par value, with 50,000,000 shares authorized. Each holder of outstanding shares of Series A Preferred shall be entitled to the number of votes equal to the number of whole shares of common stock of the Corporation into which the shares of Series A Preferred held by such holder are then convertible as of the applicable record date. The Company cannot not amend, alter or repeal any preferences, rights, or other terms of the Series A Preferred so as to adversely affect the Series A Preferred, without the written consent or affirmative vote of the holders of at least sixty-six and two-thirds percent (66.66%) of the then outstanding shares of Series A Preferred, voting as a separate voting group, given by written consent or by vote at a meeting called for such purpose for which notice shall have been duly given to the holders of the Series A Preferred.

Warrants to Purchase Common Stock

As of April 21, 2015, we had outstanding 134,955,286 warrants to purchase an aggregate of 134,955,286 shares of common stock with expiration dates between February 2016 and January 2020 at exercise prices ranging from \$0.10 to \$0.30 per share.

In connection with the Special Situations transaction, in June 2013 we issued Series A Warrants to purchase a total of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$0.15 per share, and Series B Warrants to purchase a total of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share, the IDMC warrant to purchase 14.5 million shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share, Series C Warrants to purchase 3,500,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share and Series D Warrants to purchase 3,500,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$0.30 per share (collectively, the "Special Situations Warrants").

The exercise prices of the IDMC warrant and Series A, B, C and D warrants will be adjusted if we issue common stock, warrants or equity below the exercise price that is reflected in the warrant prices described above. If the per share price of our common stock in this offering is below the exercise prices of these outstanding warrants, or if we issue any additional shares of common stock, warrants or other equity securities at a price below the exercise prices of these outstanding warrants, it would result in a reduction in the exercise price of these outstanding warrants. If such a reduction in the exercise price of these outstanding warrants occurred, upon exercise of these warrants, we would receive substantially less capital to fund our operations. A downward adjustment in the exercise price of these warrants could also affect the market price of our common stock.

Warrants issued in this Offering

The warrants issued in this offering entitle the registered holder to purchase _____ share of our common stock at a price equal to \$ _____ per share, subject to adjustment as discussed below, at any time commencing upon consummation of this offering and terminating at 5:00 p.m., New York City time, on the fifth anniversary of the closing of this offering.

The warrants will be issued in registered form under a warrant agreement between us and our warrant agent. The material provisions of the warrants are set forth herein but are only a summary and are qualified in their entirety by the provisions of the warrant agreement that has been filed as an exhibit to the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part. The exercise price and number of shares of common stock issuable upon exercise of the warrants may be adjusted in certain circumstances, including in the event of a stock dividend, extraordinary dividend or recapitalization, reorganization, merger or consolidation. However, the warrants will not be adjusted for issuances of common stock at a price below their respective exercise prices.

The warrants may be exercised upon surrender of the warrant certificate on or prior to the expiration date at the offices of the warrant agent, with the exercise form on the reverse side of the public warrant certificate completed and executed as indicated, accompanied by full payment of the exercise price, by certified or official bank check payable to us, for the number of warrants being exercised. Under the terms of the warrant agreement, we have agreed to use our reasonable best efforts to maintain the effectiveness of the registration statement and current prospectus relating to common stock issuable upon exercise of the warrants until the expiration of the warrants. During any period we fail to have maintained an effective registration statement covering the shares underlying the warrants, the warrant holder may exercise the warrants on a cashless basis and if the requirements of Rule 144 of the Securities Act have been satisfied the shares may be freely sold. If the requirements of Rule 144 of the Securities Act have not been satisfied and there is no registration statement filed, warrant holders be entitled to certain cash payments until the warrant shares can be delivered with a legend.

The warrant holders do not have the rights or privileges of holders of common stock and any voting rights until they exercise their warrants and receive shares of common stock; provided that if we issue options, convertible securities, warrants or similar securities to our stockholders, each warrant holder will have the right to acquire the same as if it had exercised its warrants for common stock. After the issuance of shares of common stock upon exercise of the warrants, each holder will be entitled to one vote for each share held of record on all matters to be voted on by stockholders.

Options to Purchase Common Stock

On April 29, 2011, the Visualant, Inc. 2011 Stock Incentive Plan (the "2011 Stock Incentive Plan") was approved at our Annual Stockholder Meeting. We were authorized to issue options to purchase up to 7,000,000 shares of common stock under the 2011 Stock Incentive Plan. On March 21, 2013, we were authorized to issue options to purchase an aggregate of 14,000,000 shares under the 2011 Stock Incentive Plan at the Annual Stockholder Meeting. We have currently reserved 10,865,000 shares of our common stock for issuance under the 2011 Stock Incentive Plan.

Representative's Warrants

Please see "Underwriting—Representative's Warrants" for a description of the warrants we have agreed to issue to the representative of the underwriters in this offering, subject to the completion of the offering. We expect to enter into a warrant agreement in respect of the Representative's Warrants prior to the closing of this offering.

Dividend Policy

We have not previously declared or paid any cash dividends on our common stock and do not anticipate or contemplate paying dividends on our common stock in the foreseeable future. We currently intend to use all of our available funds to finance the growth and development of our business. We can give no assurances that we will ever have excess funds available to pay dividends. In addition, our articles of incorporation restrict our ability to pay any dividends on our common stock without the approval of 66% of our then outstanding Series A Preferred Stock.

Anti-Takeover Provisions

Nevada Revised Statutes

Acquisition of Controlling Interest Statutes. Nevada's "acquisition of controlling interest" statutes contain provisions governing the acquisition of a controlling interest in certain Nevada corporations. These "control share" laws provide generally that any person who acquires a "controlling interest" in certain Nevada corporations may be denied certain voting rights, unless a majority of the disinterested stockholders of the corporation elects to restore such voting rights. These statutes provide that a person acquires a "controlling interest" whenever a person acquires shares of a subject corporation that, but for the application of these provisions of the Nevada Revised Statutes, would enable that person to exercise (1) one-fifth or more, but less than one-third, (2) one-third or more, but less than a majority or (3) a majority or more, of all of the voting power of the corporation in the election of directors. Once an acquirer crosses one of these thresholds, shares which it acquired in the transaction taking it over the threshold and within the 90 days immediately preceding the date when the acquiring person acquired or offered to acquire a controlling interest become "control shares" to which the voting restrictions described above apply. Our articles of incorporation and bylaws currently contain no provisions relating to these statutes, and unless our articles of incorporation or bylaws in effect on the tenth day after the acquisition of a controlling interest were to provide otherwise, these laws would apply to us if we were to (i) have 200 or more stockholders of record (at least 100 of which have addresses in the State of Nevada appearing on our stock ledger) and (ii) do business in the State of Nevada directly or through an affiliated corporation. As of July 17, 2014 we have less than 200 record stockholders. If these laws were to apply to us, they might discourage companies or persons interested in acquiring a significant interest in or control of the company, regardless of whether such acquisition may be in the interest of our stockholders.

Combinations with Interested Stockholders Statutes. Nevada's "combinations with interested stockholders" statutes prohibit certain business "combinations" between certain Nevada corporations and any person deemed to be an "interested stockholder" for two years after the such person first becomes an "interested stockholder" unless (i) the corporation's board of directors approves the combination (or the transaction by which such person becomes an "interested stockholder") in advance, or (ii) the combination is approved by the board of directors and sixty percent of the corporation's voting power not beneficially owned by the interested stockholder, its affiliates and associates. Furthermore, in the absence of prior approval certain restrictions may apply even after such two-year period. For purposes of these statutes, an "interested stockholder" is any person who is (x) the beneficial owner, directly or indirectly, of ten percent or more of the voting power of the outstanding voting shares of the corporation, or (y) an affiliate or associate of the corporation and at any time within the two previous years was the beneficial owner, directly or indirectly, of ten percent or more of the voting power of the then outstanding shares of the corporation. The definition of the term "combination" is sufficiently broad to cover most significant transactions between the corporation and an "interested stockholder". Subject to certain timing requirements set forth in the statutes, a corporation may elect not to be governed by these statutes. We have not included any such provision in our articles of incorporation.

The effect of these statutes may be to potentially discourage parties interested in taking control of us from doing so if it cannot obtain the approval of our Board of Directors.

Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws Provisions

Our articles of incorporation, as amended and restated, and our bylaws, as amended and restated, contain provisions that could have the effect of discouraging potential acquisition proposals or tender offers or delaying or preventing a change in control, including changes a stockholder might consider favorable. In particular, our articles of incorporation and bylaws, among other things:

- permit our Board of Directors to alter our bylaws without stockholder approval;
- provide that vacancies on our Board of Directors may be filled by a majority of directors in office, although less than a quorum;
- authorize the issuance of preferred stock, which can be created and issued by our Board of Directors without prior stockholder approval, with rights senior to our common stock, which may render more difficult or discourage an attempt to obtain control of us by means of a merger, tender offer, proxy contest or otherwise; and
- establish advance notice procedures with respect to stockholder proposals relating to the nomination of candidates for election as directors and other business to be brought before stockholder meetings, which notice must contain information specified in our bylaws.

In addition, our articles of incorporation restrict our ability to take certain actions without the approval of at least 66% of the Series A Preferred Stock then outstanding. These actions include, among other things:

- authorizing, creating, designating, establishing or issuing an increased number of shares of Series A Preferred Stock or any other class or series of capital stock ranking senior to or on a parity with the Series A Preferred Stock;
- adopting a plan for the liquidation, dissolution or winding up the affairs of our company or any recapitalization plan (whether by merger, consolidation or otherwise);
- amending, altering or repealing, whether by merger, consolidation or otherwise, our articles of incorporation or bylaws in a manner that would adversely affect any right, preference, privilege or voting power of the Series A Preferred Stock; and
- declaring or paying any dividend (with certain exceptions) or directly or indirectly purchase, redeem, repurchase or otherwise acquire any shares of our capital stock, stock options or convertible securities (with certain exceptions).

Such provisions may have the effect of discouraging a third-party from acquiring us, even if doing so would be beneficial to our stockholders. These provisions are intended to enhance the likelihood of continuity and stability in the composition of our Board of Directors and in the policies formulated by them, and to discourage some types of transactions that may involve an actual or threatened change in control of our company. These provisions are designed to reduce our vulnerability to an unsolicited acquisition proposal and to discourage some tactics that may be used in proxy fights. We believe that the benefits of increased protection of our potential ability to negotiate with the proponent of an unfriendly or unsolicited proposal to acquire or restructure our company outweigh the disadvantages of discouraging such proposals because, among other things, negotiation of such proposals could result in an improvement of their terms.

However, these provisions could have the effect of discouraging others from making tender offers for our shares that could result from actual or rumored takeover attempts. These provisions also may have the effect of preventing changes in our management.

Transfer Agent

Our transfer agent is American Stock Transfer & Trust Company located at 6201 15th Avenue, Brooklyn, New York 11219, and their telephone number is (800) 937-5449.

NASDAQ Capital Market Listing

Our common stock is quoted on the OTCQB Marketplace, operated by OTC Markets Group, under the symbol "VSUL". We have applied for listing of our common stock and warrants on The NASDAQ Capital Market under the symbols "VSUL" and "VSULW", respectively. No assurance can be given that our application will be approved.

UNDERWRITING

We have entered into an underwriting agreement with Maxim Group LLC acting as representative for the underwriters named below. Subject to the terms and conditions of the underwriting agreement, the underwriters named below have agreed to purchase, and we have agreed to sell to them, the number of shares of common stock and warrants to purchase common stock at the public offering price, less the underwriting discounts and commissions, as set forth on the cover page of this prospectus and as indicated below:

| Underwriter | Number of Shares | Number of Warrants |
|---------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| Maxim Group LLC | | |
| The Benchmark Company LLC | | |

The underwriting agreement provides that the obligations of the underwriters to pay for and accept delivery of the shares and warrants offered by this prospectus are subject to the approval of certain legal matters by their counsel and to other conditions. The underwriters are obligated to take and pay for all of the shares and warrants offered by this prospectus if any such shares and warrants are taken, other than those shares and warrants covered by the over-allotment option described below.

Over-Allotment Option

We have granted to the underwriters an option, exercisable no later than 45 calendar days after the date of the underwriting agreement to purchase up to _____ shares of common stock at a price, after the underwriting discount, of \$_____ per share and/or warrants to purchase up to _____ shares of common stock at a price, after the underwriting discount, of \$_____ per warrant from us to cover over-allotments, if any. The underwriters may exercise this option only to cover over-allotments, if any, made in connection with this offering. To the extent the option is exercised and the conditions of the underwriting agreement are satisfied, we will be obligated to sell to the underwriters, and the underwriters will be obligated to purchase, these additional shares of common stock and/or warrants to purchase common stock.

Commissions

The representative has advised us that the underwriters propose to offer the shares and warrants directly to the public at the public offering prices set forth on the cover of this prospectus. In addition, the representative may offer some of the shares and warrants to other securities dealers at such price less a concession of up to \$_____ per share. After the offering to the public, the offering price and other selling terms may be changed by the representative without changing our proceeds from the underwriters' purchase of the shares and warrants.

The following table summarizes the public offering price per share and per warrant, underwriting commissions and proceeds before expenses to us assuming both no exercise and full exercise of the underwriters' option to purchase additional shares and warrants. The underwriting commissions are equal to the public offering price per share less the amount per share the underwriters pay us for the shares and warrants.

| | Per Share | Per Warrant | Total Without Over- Allotment | Total With Over- Allotment |
|--|------------------|--------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| Public offering price | | | | |
| Underwriting discounts and commissions | | | | |
| Proceeds, before expenses, to us | | | | |

The underwriters propose to offer the shares and warrants offered by us to the public at the public offering price set forth on the cover of this prospectus. In addition, the underwriters may offer some of the shares and warrants to other securities dealers at such price less a concession of \$_____ per share. If all of the shares and warrants offered by us are not sold at the public offering price, the underwriters may change the offering price and other selling terms by means of a supplement to this prospectus.

Representative's Warrants

As additional compensation to the representative, upon consummation of this offering, we will issue the representative warrants to purchase an aggregate number of shares of our common stock equal to 8% percent of all shares of common stock sold in the offering. Such warrants shall have an exercise price equal to \$_____ per share, which is 125% of the public offering price, terminate five years after the effectiveness of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part, and otherwise have the same terms as the warrants sold in this offering except that they will provide for unlimited "piggyback" registration rights with respect to the underlying shares during the two year period commencing six months after the effective date of this offering. Such warrants will be subject to FINRA Rule 5110(g)(1) in that, except as otherwise permitted by FINRA rules, for a period of 180 days following the effectiveness of the registration statement, of which this prospectus forms a part, the underwriters' warrants shall not be (A) sold, transferred, assigned, pledged, or hypothecated, or (B) the subject of any hedging, short sale, derivative, put, or call transaction that would result in the effective economic disposition of the securities by any person.

Representative's Expenses

We have also agreed to pay the representative's expenses relating to the offering, including all fees incurred in clearing this offering with FINRA, all fees, expenses, and disbursements relating to actual accountable expenses of the underwriters in connection with the offering; and reasonable legal fees and expenses of the underwriters up to a maximum of \$200,000.

Lock-Up Agreements

We, and our directors, executive officers and 5% beneficial stockholders, have entered into lock up agreements with the representative prior to the commencement of this offering pursuant to which each of these persons or entities, for a period of 180 days from the effective date of this offering without the prior written consent of the representative, agree not to (1) offer, pledge, sell, contract to sell, grant, lend, or otherwise transfer or dispose of, directly or indirectly, any shares of our common stock or any securities convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for shares of our common stock, or (2) enter into any swap or other arrangement that transfers to another, in whole or in part, any of the economic consequences of ownership of the common stock, whether any such transaction described in clause (1) or (2) above is to be settled by delivery of common stock or such other securities, in cash or otherwise, or (3) make any demand for or exercise any right with respect to the registration of any shares of common stock or any security convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for common stock, or (4) publicly disclose the intention to make any offer, sale, pledge or disposition, or to enter into any transaction, swap, hedge or other arrangement relating to any of the common stock. Notwithstanding these limitations, these shares of common stock may be transferred by gift, will or intestate succession, or by judicial decree under certain limited circumstances.

The representative may in its sole discretion and at any time without notice release some or all of the shares subject to lock-up agreements prior to the expiration of the lock-up period. When determining whether or not to release shares from the lock-up agreements, the representative will consider, among other factors, the security holder's reasons for requesting the release, the number of shares for which the release is being requested and market conditions at the time.

Price Stabilization, Short Positions and Penalty Bids

In connection with this offering, the underwriters may engage in transactions that stabilize, maintain or otherwise affect the price of our common stock and warrants. Specifically, the underwriters may over-allot in connection with this offering by selling more shares and warrants than are set forth on the cover page of this prospectus. This creates a short position in our common stock and warrants for its own account. The short position may be either a covered short position or a naked short position. In a covered short position, the number of shares common stock or warrants over-allotted by the underwriters is not greater than the number of shares of common stock or warrants that they may purchase in the over-allotment option. In a naked short position, the number of shares of common stock or warrants involved is greater than the number of shares common stock or warrants in the over-allotment option. To close out a short position, the underwriters may elect to exercise all or part of the over-allotment option. The underwriters may also elect to stabilize the price of our common stock and/or warrants, or reduce any short position by bidding for, and purchasing, common stock and/or warrants in the open market.

The underwriters may also impose a penalty bid. This occurs when a particular underwriter or dealer repays selling concessions allowed to it for distributing a security in this offering because the underwriter repurchases that security in stabilizing or short covering transactions.

Finally, the underwriters may bid for, and purchase, shares of our common stock in market making transactions, including “passive” market making transactions as described below.

These activities may stabilize or maintain the market price of our common stock at a price that is higher than the price that might otherwise exist in the absence of these activities. The underwriters are not required to engage in these activities, and may discontinue any of these activities at any time without notice. These transactions may be effected on NASDAQ, in the over-the-counter market, or otherwise.

In connection with this offering, the underwriters and selling group members, if any, or their affiliates may engage in passive market making transactions in our common stock immediately prior to the commencement of sales in this offering, in accordance with Rule 103 of Regulation M under the Exchange Act. Rule 103 generally provides that:

- a passive market maker may not effect transactions or display bids for our common stock in excess of the highest independent bid price by persons who are not passive market makers;
- net purchases by a passive market maker on each day are generally limited to 30% of the passive market maker’s average daily trading volume in our common stock during a specified two-month prior period or 200 shares, whichever is greater, and must be discontinued when that limit is reached; and
- passive market making bids must be identified as such.

Electronic Distribution

A prospectus in electronic format may be made available on a website maintained by the representative of the underwriters and may also be made available on a website maintained by other underwriters. The underwriters may agree to allocate a number of shares to underwriters for sale to their online brokerage account holders. Internet distributions will be allocated by the representative of the underwriters to underwriters that may make Internet distributions on the same basis as other allocations. In connection with the offering, the underwriters or syndicate members may distribute prospectuses electronically. No forms of electronic prospectus other than prospectuses that are printable as Adobe® PDF will be used in connection with this offering.

The underwriters have informed us that they do not expect to confirm sales of shares and warrants offered by this prospectus to accounts over which they exercise discretionary authority.

Other than the prospectus in electronic format, the information on any underwriter’s website and any information contained in any other website maintained by an underwriter is not part of the prospectus or the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part, has not been approved and/or endorsed by us or any underwriter in its capacity as underwriter and should not be relied upon by investors.

Other Relationships

Certain of the underwriters and their affiliates have provided, and may in the future provide, various investment banking, commercial banking and other financial services for us and our affiliates for which they have received, and may in the future receive, customary fees. However, except as disclosed in this prospectus, we have no present arrangements with any of the underwriters for any further services, and none of the underwriters have provided such further services during the 180-day period preceding the date of the filing of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part. In addition, we do not anticipate that the underwriters will provide any further services during the 90-day period following the date on which the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part is declared effective.

Upon the completion of the Offering, for a period of eighteen (18) months from the effectiveness of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part, Maxim Group LLC has the right of participation to act as lead managing underwriter and book runner or minimally as a co-lead manager with at least 75% of the economics for any and all of future public and private equity and debt offerings we or any successor to or any subsidiary of ours completes during such eighteen (18) month period.

We have engaged Maxim Group LLC, on a non-exclusive basis, as our agent for the solicitation of the exercise of the warrants. To the extent not inconsistent with the guidelines of FINRA and the rules and regulations of the SEC, we have agreed to pay them for bona fide services rendered a commission equal to 5% of the exercise price for each warrant exercised within two (2) years from the effectiveness of the registration statement of which this prospectus forms a part, if the exercise was solicited by Maxim Group LLC. In addition to soliciting, either orally or in writing, the exercise of the warrants, the representative's services may also include disseminating information, either orally or in writing, to warrant holders about us or the market for our securities, and assisting in the processing of the exercise of the warrants. No compensation will be paid to the representative upon the exercise of the warrants if:

- the market price of the underlying shares of common stock is lower than the exercise price;
- the holder of the warrants has not confirmed in writing that the underwriters solicited the exercise;
- the warrants are held in a discretionary account;
- the warrants are exercised in an unsolicited transaction; or
- the arrangement to pay the commission is not disclosed in the prospectus provided to warrant holders at the time of exercise.

Indemnification

We have agreed to indemnify the underwriters against liabilities relating to the offering arising under the Securities Act and the Exchange Act, liabilities arising from breaches of some or all of the representations and warranties contained in the underwriting agreement, and to contribute to payments that the underwriters may be required to make for these liabilities.

Offer Restrictions Outside the United States

Other than in the United States, no action has been taken by us or the underwriters that would permit a public offering of the securities offered by this prospectus in any jurisdiction where action for that purpose is required. The securities offered by this prospectus may not be offered or sold, directly or indirectly, nor may this prospectus or any other offering material or advertisements in connection with the offer and sale of any such securities be distributed or published in any jurisdiction, except under circumstances that will result in compliance with the applicable rules and regulations of that jurisdiction. Persons into whose possession this prospectus comes are advised to inform themselves about and to observe any restrictions relating to the offering and the distribution of this prospectus. This prospectus does not constitute an offer to sell or a solicitation of an offer to buy any securities offered by this prospectus in any jurisdiction in which such an offer or a solicitation is unlawful.

LEGAL MATTERS

The validity of the shares of common stock offered hereby is being passed upon for us by Fifth Avenue Law Group PLLC, Seattle, Washington. Certain legal matters in connection with this offering will be passed upon for the underwriters by Lowenstein Sandler, LLP, New York, New York.

EXPERTS

PMB Helin Donovan, LLP, independent registered public accounting firm, has audited our financial statements at September 30, 2014 and 2013, and for each of the two years in the period ended September 30, 2014, as set forth in their report which includes an explanatory paragraph relating to our ability to continue as a going concern, included elsewhere in this prospectus. We have included our financial statements in this prospectus and elsewhere in this registration statement in reliance on PMB Helin Donovan, LLP's report, given on their authority as experts in accounting and auditing.

Except as noted below, no expert or counsel named in this prospectus as having prepared or certified any part of this prospectus or having given an opinion upon the validity of the securities being registered or upon other legal matters in connection with the registration or offering of the shares and warrants and its underlying securities was employed on a contingency basis, or had, or is to receive, in connection with the offering, a substantial interest, direct or indirect, in the registrant or any of its parents or subsidiaries. Nor was any such person connected with the registrant or any of its parents or subsidiaries as a promoter, managing or principal underwriter, voting trustee, director, officer, or employee. James F. Biagi, the managing member of Fifth Avenue Law Group PLLC, is the sole member of White Oak Capital LLC, which owns 1,500,000 shares of the Company's common stock, in which Mr. Biagi has a beneficial interest.

WHERE YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION

We have filed with the SEC a registration statement on Form S-1 under the Securities Act of 1933 with respect to the shares of common stock we are offering to sell. This prospectus, which constitutes part of the registration statement, does not include all of the information contained in the registration statement and the exhibits, schedules and amendments to the registration statement. For further information with respect to us and our common stock, we refer you to the registration statement and to the exhibits and schedules to the registration statement. Statements contained in this prospectus about the contents of any contract, agreement or other document are not necessarily complete, and, in each instance, we refer you to the copy of the contract, agreement or other document filed as an exhibit to the registration statement. Each of these statements is qualified in all respects by this reference.

You may read and copy the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part at the SEC's public reference room, which is located at 100 F Street, N.E., Room 1580, Washington, DC 20549. You can request copies of the registration statement by writing to the Securities and Exchange Commission and paying a fee for the copying cost. Please call the SEC at 1-800-SEC-0330 for more information about the operation of the SEC's public reference room. In addition, the SEC maintains a website, which is located at www.sec.gov, that contains reports, proxy and information statements and other information regarding issuers that file electronically with the SEC. You may access the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part at the SEC's website.

We are subject to the information reporting requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and are required to file reports, proxy statements and other information with the SEC. All documents filed with the SEC are available for inspection and copying at the public reference room and website of the SEC referred to above. We maintain a website at www.growlifeinc.com. You may access our reports, proxy statements and other information free of charge at this website as soon as reasonably practicable after such material is electronically filed with, or furnished to, the SEC. The information on such website is not incorporated by reference and is not a part of this prospectus.

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VISUALANT, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

| | December 31, 2014 | September 30, 2014 |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|
| ASSETS | | (audited) |
| CURRENT ASSETS: | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 87,319 | \$ 70,386 |
| Accounts receivable, net of allowance of \$42,000 and \$40,750, respectively | 980,117 | 815,460 |
| Prepaid expenses | 33,858 | 25,067 |
| Inventories | 333,073 | 412,831 |
| Refundable tax assets | 28,927 | 29,590 |
| Total current assets | <u>1,463,294</u> | <u>1,353,334</u> |
| EQUIPMENT, NET | 426,255 | 447,236 |
| OTHER ASSETS | | |
| Intangible assets, net | 346,846 | 431,653 |
| Goodwill | 983,645 | 983,645 |
| Other assets | <u>5,070</u> | <u>5,070</u> |
| TOTAL ASSETS | <u>\$ 3,225,110</u> | <u>\$ 3,220,938</u> |
| LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' (DEFICIT) | | |
| CURRENT LIABILITIES: | | |
| Accounts payable - trade | \$ 2,333,873 | \$ 2,234,123 |
| Accounts payable - related parties | 44,969 | 66,729 |
| Accrued expenses | 38,290 | 31,369 |
| Accrued expenses - related parties | 307,521 | 260,687 |
| Derivative liability - warrants | 5,230,164 | 2,579,157 |
| Convertible notes payable | 166,500 | 166,500 |
| Notes payable - current portion of long term debt | <u>1,346,354</u> | <u>1,290,960</u> |
| Total current liabilities | <u>9,467,671</u> | <u>6,629,525</u> |
| LONG TERM LIABILITIES: | | |
| Long term debt | <u>-</u> | <u>-</u> |
| COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES | - | - |
| STOCKHOLDERS' DEFICIT | | |
| Preferred stock - \$0.001 par value, 43,000,000 shares authorized, 0 and shares issued and outstanding | - | - |
| Series A Convertible Preferred stock - \$0.001 par value, 7,000,000 shares authorized, 3,000,000 shares issued and outstanding | 3,000 | - |
| Common stock - \$0.001 par value, 500,000,000 shares authorized, 168,188,674 and 168,163,674 shares issued and outstanding at 12/31/14 and 9/30/14, respectively | 168,189 | 168,164 |
| Additional paid in capital | 18,278,678 | 17,958,368 |
| Accumulated deficit | <u>(24,692,428)</u> | <u>(21,535,119)</u> |
| Total stockholders' deficit | <u>(6,242,561)</u> | <u>(3,408,587)</u> |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' DEFICIT | <u>\$ 3,225,110</u> | <u>\$ 3,220,938</u> |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

VISUALANT, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

| | Three Months Ended, | |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| | December 31, 2014 | December 31, 2013 |
| REVENUE | \$ 1,843,213 | \$ 1,877,089 |
| COST OF SALES | 1,545,449 | 1,571,021 |
| GROSS PROFIT | 297,764 | 306,068 |
| RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES | 119,387 | 312,987 |
| SELLING, GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES | 653,203 | 842,496 |
| OPERATING LOSS | (474,826) | (849,415) |
| OTHER INCOME (EXPENSE): | | |
| Interest expense | (37,130) | (17,948) |
| Other income | 6,317 | 7,722 |
| (Loss) gain on change - derivative liability warrants | (2,651,007) | 12,865 |
| Total other (expense) income | (2,681,820) | 2,639 |
| LOSS BEFORE INCOME TAXES | (3,156,646) | (846,776) |
| Income taxes - current benefit | 663 | (1,177) |
| NET LOSS | (3,157,309) | (845,599) |
| NONCONTROLLING INTEREST | - | 16,168 |
| NET (LOSS) ATTRIBUTABLE TO VISUALANT, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES COMMON SHAREHOLDERS | \$ (3,157,309) | \$ (861,767) |
| Basic and diluted income (loss) per common share attributable to Visualant, Inc. and subsidiaries common shareholders- | | |
| Basic and diluted income (loss) per share | \$ (0.02) | \$ (0.01) |
| Weighted average shares of common stock outstanding- basic and diluted | 168,168,294 | 165,263,674 |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

VISUALANT, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

| | Three Months Ended, | |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|
| | December 31, 2014 | December 31, 2013 |
| CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES: | | |
| Net loss | \$ (3,157,309) | \$ (845,599) |
| Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash (used in) operating activities | | |
| Depreciation and amortization | 104,378 | 97,688 |
| Issuance of capital stock for services and expenses | 2,500 | - |
| Stock based compensation | 20,835 | 23,503 |
| (Gain) loss on sale of assets | (900) | (1,111) |
| Loss (gain) on change - derivative liability warrants | 2,651,007 | (12,865) |
| Provision for losses on accounts receivable | 3,036 | - |
| Changes in operating assets and liabilities: | | |
| Accounts receivable | (167,693) | 404,109 |
| Prepaid expenses | (8,791) | 13,926 |
| Inventory | 79,758 | 90,721 |
| Accounts payable - trade and accrued expenses | 131,745 | (158,719) |
| Deferred revenue | - | 201,130 |
| Income tax receivable | 663 | (1,177) |
| CASH (USED IN) OPERATING ACTIVITIES | (340,771) | (188,394) |
| CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES: | | |
| Proceeds from sale of equipment | 2,310 | 1,600 |
| NET CASH PROVIDED BY INVESTING ACTIVITIES: | 2,310 | 1,600 |
| CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES: | | |
| Proceeds (repayments) from line of credit | 56,126 | (507,670) |
| Proceeds from sale of preferred stock | 300,000 | - |
| Repayments of capital leases | (732) | (1,112) |
| NET CASH PROVIDED (USED IN) BY FINANCING ACTIVITIES | 355,394 | (508,782) |
| NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS | 16,933 | (695,576) |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, beginning of period | 70,386 | 747,129 |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, end of period | \$ 87,319 | \$ 51,553 |
| Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information: | | |
| Interest paid | \$ 52,755 | \$ 12,525 |
| Taxes paid | \$ - | \$ - |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES
NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. ORGANIZATION

Visualant, Inc. (the “Company” or “Visualant”) was incorporated under the laws of the State of Nevada on October 8, 1998 with authorized common stock of 500,000,000 shares at \$0.001 par value. On September 13, 2002, 50,000,000 shares of preferred stock with a par value of \$0.001 were authorized by the shareholders. There are no preferred shares issued and the terms have not been determined. The Company’s executive offices are located in Seattle, Washington.

The Company has invented a way to shine light at a material (solid surface, liquid, or gas) and measure the amount of light that is reflected back. The pattern of this reflected light is compared to other patterns the Company has captured and this allows the Company to identify, detect, or diagnose materials that cannot be identified by the human eye. The Company refers to this pattern of reflected light as a ChromaID™. The Company designs ChromaID Scanner devices made with electronic, optical, and software parts to produce and capture the light.

The Company’s first product, the ChromaID Lab Kit, scans and identifies solid surfaces. The Company is marketing this product to customers who are considering licensing the technology. Target markets include, but are not limited to, commercial paint manufacturers, pharmaceutical equipment manufacturers, process control companies, currency paper and ink manufacturers, security card, reader, and scanner manufacturers, food processing, and electronic gaming.

Through our wholly owned subsidiary, TransTech Systems, Inc., based in Aurora, Oregon, the Company provides value added security and authentication solutions to corporate and government security and law enforcement markets throughout the United States.

On November 11, 2013, the Company entered into a Services and License Agreement with Invention Development Management Company, L.L.C. (“IDMC”), a Delaware limited liability company. IDMC is affiliated with Intellectual Ventures, which collaborates with inventors, partners with pioneering companies and invests both expertise and capital in the process of invention. On November 19, 2014, the Company entered into an Amendment to Services and License Agreement with IDMC. This Amendment exclusively licenses ten filed patents to the Company.

On June 10, 2013, the Company entered into a Purchase Agreement, Warrants, Registration Rights Agreement and Voting Agreement with Special Situations and forty other accredited investors pursuant to which we issued 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.10 per share for a total of \$5,230,000, which amount includes the conversion of \$500,000 in outstanding debt of the Company owed to one of its officers. As part of the transaction which closed on June 14, 2013, the Company issued to the investors (i) five year Series A Warrants to purchase a total of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.15 per share; and (ii) five year Series B Warrants to purchase a total of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.20 per share. The transaction was entered into to strengthen our balance sheet, complete the purchase of our TransTech subsidiary, and provide working capital to support the rapid movement of our ChromaID technology into the marketplace.

To date, the Company been issued seven patents by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. See Note 4 for more detailed information regarding the Company’s patents and business.

2. GOING CONCERN

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis, which contemplates the realization of assets and the satisfaction of liabilities in the normal course of business. The Company incurred net losses of \$1,017,281 and \$6,604,631 for the years ended September 30, 2014 and 2013, respectively. Our net cash used in operating activities was \$340,771 and \$1,379,397 for the three months ended December 31, 2014 and the year ended September 30, 2014, respectively.

The Company anticipates that it will record losses from operations for the foreseeable future. As of December 31, 2014, our accumulated deficit was \$24,692,428. The Company has limited capital resources, and operations to date have been funded with the proceeds from private equity and debt financings and loans from Ronald P. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer. These conditions raise substantial doubt about our ability to continue as a going concern. The audit report prepared by our independent registered public accounting firm relating to our financial statements for the year ended September 30, 2014 includes an explanatory paragraph expressing the substantial doubt about our ability to continue as a going concern.

Continuation of the Company as a going concern is dependent upon obtaining additional working capital. The financial statements do not include any adjustments that might be necessary if we are unable to continue as a going concern.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES: ADOPTION OF ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

BASIS OF PRESENTATION -The accompanying unaudited consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company. Intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated. The preparation of these unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (“GAAP”).

The unaudited consolidated financial statements of the Company and the accompanying notes included in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q are unaudited. In the opinion of management, all adjustments necessary for a fair presentation of the Consolidated Financial Statements have been included. Such adjustments are of a normal, recurring nature. The Consolidated Financial Statements, and the accompanying notes, are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States (“GAAP”) and do not contain certain information included in the Company’s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014. The interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements should be read in conjunction with that Annual Report on Form 10-K.

PRINCIPLES OF CONSOLIDATION - The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its wholly owned and majority-owned subsidiaries, TransTech Systems, Inc. Inter-Company items and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - The Company classifies highly liquid temporary investments with an original maturity of three months or less when purchased as cash equivalents. The Company maintains cash balances at various financial institutions. Balances at US banks are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation up to \$250,000. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not exposed to any significant risk for cash on deposit.

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE AND ALLOWANCE FOR DOUBTFUL ACCOUNTS - Accounts receivable consist primarily of amounts due to the Company from normal business activities. The Company maintains an allowance for doubtful accounts to reflect the expected non-collection of accounts receivable based on past collection history and specific risks identified within the portfolio. If the financial condition of the customers were to deteriorate resulting in an impairment of their ability to make payments, or if payments from customers are significantly delayed, additional allowances might be required.

INVENTORIES - Inventories consist primarily of printers and consumable supplies, including ribbons and cards, badge accessories, capture devices, and access control components held for resale and are stated at the lower of cost or market on the first-in, first-out ("FIFO") method. Inventories are considered available for resale when drop shipped and invoiced directly to a customer from a vendor, or when physically received by TransTech at a warehouse location. The Company records a provision for excess and obsolete inventory whenever an impairment has been identified. There is a \$15,000 and \$10,000 reserve for impaired inventory as of December 31, 2014 and September 30, 2014, respectively.

EQUIPMENT - Equipment consists of machinery, leasehold improvements, furniture and fixtures and software, which are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and amortization. Depreciation is computed by the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives or lease period of the relevant asset, generally 2-10 years, except for leasehold improvements which are depreciated over 5-20 years.

INTANGIBLE ASSETS / INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY - The Company amortizes the intangible assets and intellectual property acquired in connection with the acquisition of TransTech, over sixty months on a straight - line basis, which was the time frame that the management of the Company was able to project forward for future revenue, either under agreement or through expected continued business activities. Intangible assets and intellectual property acquired from RATLab LLC and Javelin are recorded likewise. The Company performs annual assessments and has determined that no impairment is necessary. On June 7, 2011, the Company closed the acquisition of all Visualant related assets of the RATLab LLC, namely the rights to the medical field of use of the Chroma ID technology. On July 31, 2012, the Company closed the acquisition of all rights to the ChromaID technology in the environmental field of use from Javelin LLC.

GOODWILL - Goodwill is the excess of cost of an acquired entity over the fair value of amounts assigned to assets acquired and liabilities assumed in a business combination. With the adoption of ASC 350, goodwill is not amortized, rather it is tested for impairment annually, and will be tested for impairment between annual tests if an event occurs or circumstances change that would indicate the carrying amount may be impaired. Impairment testing for goodwill is done at a reporting unit level. Reporting units are one level below the business segment level, but are combined when reporting units within the same segment have similar economic characteristics. Under the criteria set forth by ASC 350, the Company has one reporting unit based on the current structure. An impairment loss generally would be recognized when the carrying amount of the reporting unit's net assets exceeds the estimated fair value of the reporting unit. The Company performs annual assessments and has determined that no impairment is necessary.

LONG-LIVED ASSETS - The Company reviews its long-lived assets for impairment annually or when changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of an asset may not be recoverable. Long-lived assets under certain circumstances are reported at the lower of carrying amount or fair value. Assets to be disposed of and assets not expected to provide any future service potential to the Company are recorded at the lower of carrying amount or fair value (less the projected cost associated with selling the asset). To the extent carrying values exceed fair values, an impairment loss is recognized in operating results.

FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS AND FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS - ASC Topic 820, *Fair Value Measurement and Disclosures*, defines fair value as the exchange price that would be received for an asset or paid to transfer a liability (an exit price) in the principal or most advantageous market for the asset or liability in an orderly transaction between market participants on the measurement date. This topic also establishes a fair value hierarchy, which requires classification based on observable and unobservable inputs when measuring fair value. The fair value hierarchy distinguishes between assumptions based on market data (observable inputs) and an entity's own assumptions (unobservable inputs). The hierarchy consists of three levels:

Level 1 - Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and liabilities;

Level 2 - Inputs other than level one inputs that are either directly or indirectly observable; and

Level 3 - Unobservable inputs developed using estimates and assumptions, which are developed by the reporting entity and reflect those assumptions that a market participant would use.

Derivative Instruments – Warrants with the June 2013 Private Placement

| Financial Instruments | Fair Value Measurements Using Inputs | | | Carrying Amount at December 31, 2014 |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------|---------|--------------------------------------|
| | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | |
| Liabilities: | | | | |
| Derivative Instruments - Warrants | \$ - | \$ 4,393,201 | \$ - | \$ 4,393,201 |
| Total | \$ - | \$ 4,393,201 | \$ - | \$ 4,393,201 |

Liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis are summarized as follows:

| | December 31, 2014 |
|--|-------------------|
| Market price and estimated fair value of common stock: | \$ 0.110 |
| Exercise price | \$ 0.15-0.20 |
| Expected term (years) | 3-5 years |
| Divident yield | - |
| Expected volatility | 76.7% |
| Risk-free interest rate | 0.78% |

The risk-free rate of return reflects the interest rate for the United States Treasury Note with similar time-to-maturity to that of the warrants.

The Company issued warrants to 104,600,000 shares of common stock in connection with the June 2013 Private Placement of 52,300,000 shares of common stock. The strike price of these warrants is \$0.15 to \$0.20 per share. These warrants were not issued with the intent of effectively hedging any future cash flow, fair value of any asset, liability or any net investment in a foreign operation. These warrants were issued with a down-round provision whereby the exercise price would be adjusted downward in the event that additional shares of the Company's common stock or securities exercisable, convertible or exchangeable for the Company's common stock were issued at a price less than the exercise price. Therefore, the fair value of these warrants were recorded as a liability in the consolidated balance sheet and are marked to market each reporting period until they are exercised or expire or otherwise extinguished.

The proceeds from the Private Placement were allocated between the Common Shares and the Warrants issued in connection with the Private Placement based upon their estimated fair values as of the closing date at June 14, 2013, resulting in the aggregate amount of \$2,494,710 to the Stockholders' Equity and \$2,735,290 to the warrant derivative. The Company recognized \$1,448,710 of other expense resulting from the increase in the fair value of the warrant liability at September 30, 2013. During the year ended September 30, 2014, the Company recognized \$2,092,000 of other income resulting from the decrease in the fair value of the warrant liability at June 30, 2014. During the three months ended December 31, 2014, the Company recognized \$2,301,202 of other expense resulting from the decrease in the fair value of the warrant liability at December 31, 2014.

Derivative Instruments – Warrant with the November 2013 IDMC Services and License Agreement

| Financial Instruments | Fair Value Measurements Using Inputs | | | Carrying Amount at December 31, 2014 |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------|---------|--------------------------------------|
| | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | |
| Liabilities: | | | | |
| Derivative Instruments - Warrants | \$ - | \$ 670,463 | \$ - | \$ 670,463 |
| Total | \$ - | \$ 670,463 | \$ - | \$ 670,463 |

Liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis are summarized as follows:

| | December 31, 2014 |
|--|----------------------|
| Market price and estimated fair value of common stock: | 0.11 |
| Exercise price | 0.20 |
| Expected term (years) | 5 |
| Divident yield | - |
| Expected volatility | 76.7% |
| Risk-free interest rate | 0.78% |

The risk-free rate of return reflects the interest rate for the United States Treasury Note with similar time-to-maturity to that of the warrants.

The Company issued a warrant to purchase 14,575,286 shares of common stock as consideration for the exclusive IP license and application development services to IDMC signed on November 11, 2013. The warrant price of \$0.20 per share expires November 10, 2018 and the per share price is subject to adjustment. This warrant was not issued with the intent of effectively hedging any future cash flow, fair value of any asset, liability or any net investment in a foreign operation. This warrant was issued with a down-round provision whereby the exercise price would be adjusted downward in the event that additional shares of the Company's common stock or securities exercisable, convertible or exchangeable for the Company's common stock were issued at a price less than the exercise price. Therefore, the fair value of these warrants were recorded as a liability in the consolidated balance sheet and are marked to market each reporting period until they are exercised or expire or otherwise extinguished.

During the year ended September 30, 2014, the Company recognized \$320,657 of other expense related to the IDMC warrant. During the three months ended December 31, 2014, the Company recognized \$349,807 of other expense related to the IDMC warrant.

Derivative Instrument – Convertible Note Payable

| Financial Instruments | Fair Value Measurements Using Inputs | | | Carrying Amount at December 31, 2014 |
|--|--------------------------------------|------------|---------|---|
| | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | |
| Liabilities: | | | | |
| Derivative Instruments - Convertible Promissory Note | \$ - | \$ 103,500 | \$ - | \$ 103,500 |
| Total | \$ - | \$ 103,500 | \$ - | \$ 103,500 |

Liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis are summarized as follows:

| | December 31, 2014 |
|--|----------------------|
| Market price and estimated fair value of common stock: | 0.11 |
| Exercise price | 0.07 |
| Expected term (years) | 0.75 |
| Divident yield | - |
| Expected volatility | 76.7% |
| Risk-free interest rate | 0.78% |

The risk-free rate of return reflects the interest rate for the United States Treasury Note with similar time-to-maturity to that of the Convertible Note Payable.

The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on August 25, 2014 for \$103,500. The Note is due May 27, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Note is convertible at 65% of the average of the lowest three day trading price in the 10 days prior to conversion; however, the Note is not convertible until the second quarter of fiscal year 2015. The Note provides short term working capital while funding closes and the Company expects to repay the Note at the closing of funding.

The Company has recorded a derivative liability for the conversion discount in the amount of \$103,500 at December 31, 2014 and September 30, 2014.

Derivative Instrument – Convertible Note Payable

| Financial Instruments | Fair Value Measurements Using Inputs | | | Carrying Amount at December 31, 2014 |
|--|--------------------------------------|-----------|---------|--------------------------------------|
| | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | |
| Liabilities: | | | | |
| Derivative Instruments - Convertible Promissory Note | \$ - | \$ 63,000 | \$ - | \$ 63,000 |
| Total | \$ - | \$ 63,000 | \$ - | \$ 63,000 |

Liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis are summarized as follows:

| | December 31, 2014 |
|--|-------------------|
| Market price and estimated fair value of common stock: | 0.11 |
| Exercise price | 0.07 |
| Expected term (years) | 0.75 |
| Dividend yield | - |
| Expected volatility | 76.7% |
| Risk-free interest rate | 0.78% |

The risk-free rate of return reflects the interest rate for the United States Treasury Note with similar time-to-maturity to that of the Convertible Note Payable.

The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on September 23, 2014 for \$63,000. The Note is due June 26, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Note is convertible at 65% of the average of the lowest three day trading price in the 10 days prior to conversion; however, the Note is not convertible until the second quarter of fiscal year 2015. The Note provides short term working capital while funding closes and the Company expects to repay the Note at the closing of funding.

The Company has recorded a derivative liability for the conversion discount in the amount of \$63,000 at September 30, 2014.

The recorded value of other financial assets and liabilities, which consist primarily of cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, other current assets, and accounts payable and accrued expenses approximate the fair value of the respective assets and liabilities at December 31, 2014 and September 30, 2014 based upon the short-term nature of the assets and liabilities.

REVENUE RECOGNITION – Visualant and TransTech revenue are derived from other products and services. Revenue is considered realized when the services have been provided to the customer, the work has been accepted by the customer and collectability is reasonably assured. Furthermore, if an actual measurement of revenue cannot be determined, we defer all revenue recognition until such time that an actual measurement can be determined. If during the course of a contract management determines that losses are expected to be incurred, such costs are charged to operations in the period such losses are determined. Revenues are deferred when cash has been received from the customer but the revenue has not been earned.

STOCK BASED COMPENSATION - The Company has share-based compensation plans under which employees, consultants, suppliers and directors may be granted restricted stock, as well as options to purchase shares of Company common stock at the fair market value at the time of grant. Stock-based compensation cost is measured by the Company at the grant date, based on the fair value of the award, over the requisite service period. For options issued to employees, the Company recognizes stock compensation costs utilizing the fair value methodology over the related period of benefit. Grants of stock options and stock to non-employees and other parties are accounted for in accordance with the ASC 505.

INCOME TAXES - Income tax benefit is based on reported loss before income taxes. Deferred income taxes reflect the effect of temporary differences between asset and liability amounts that are recognized for financial reporting purposes and the amounts that are recognized for income tax purposes. These deferred taxes are measured by applying currently enacted tax laws where that company operates out of. The Company recognizes refundable and deferred assets to the extent that management has determined their realization. As of December 31, 2014 and September 30, 2014, the Company had refundable tax assets related to TransTech of \$28,927 and \$29,590, respectively.

NET LOSS PER SHARE – Under the provisions of ASC 260, “Earnings Per Share,” basic loss per common share is computed by dividing net loss available to common shareholders by the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding for the periods presented. Diluted net loss per share reflects the potential dilution that could occur if securities or other contracts to issue common stock were exercised or converted into common stock or resulted in the issuance of common stock that would then share in the income of the Company, subject to anti-dilution limitations. The common stock equivalents have not been included as they are anti-dilutive. As of December 31, 2014, there were options outstanding for the purchase of 12,900,000 common shares, warrants for the purchase of 134,555,286 common shares, preferred stock for the conversion of 3,000,000 common shares and an unknown number of shares related to the conversion of \$166,500 in Convertible Promissory Notes due to KBM Worldwide, Inc. which could potentially dilute future earnings per share. As of December 31, 2013, there were options outstanding for the purchase of 12,710,000 common shares, warrants for the purchase of 128,072,223 common shares which could potentially dilute future earnings per share.

DIVIDEND POLICY - The Company has never paid any cash dividends and intends, for the foreseeable future, to retain any future earnings for the development of our business. Our future dividend policy will be determined by the board of directors on the basis of various factors, including our results of operations, financial condition, capital requirements and investment opportunities.

USE OF ESTIMATES - The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

RECENT ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

A variety of proposed or otherwise potential accounting standards are currently under study by standard setting organizations and various regulatory agencies. Due to the tentative and preliminary nature of those proposed standards, management has not determined whether implementation of such proposed standards would be material to our consolidated financial statements.

4. DEVELOPMENT OF OUR CHROMAID™ TECHNOLOGY

The Company's ChromaID™ Technology

The Company has invented a way to project light at a material (solid surface, liquid, or gas) and measure the amount of light that is reflected back. The pattern of this reflected light is compared to other patterns the company has captured and this allows us to identify, detect, or diagnose materials that cannot be identified by the human eye. The Company refers to this pattern of reflected light as a ChromaID™. The Company designs ChromaID scanning devices made with electronic, optical, and software parts to produce and capture the light.

The Company's first product, the ChromaID Lab Kit, scans and identifies solid surfaces. The Company is marketing this product to customers who are considering licensing the technology. Target markets include, but are not limited to, commercial paint manufacturers, pharmaceutical equipment manufacturers, process control companies, currency paper and ink manufacturers, security card, reader, and scanner manufacturers, food processing, and electronic gaming.

There is no current requirement for FDA or other government approval for the current applications of the Company's ChromaID technology. Over time, as the Company explores the application of its ChromaID technology for medical diagnostics and other applications, the Company expects that there will be requirements for FDA and other government approvals before applications using the technology in medical and other regulated fields can enter the marketplace.

The Company's research and development expenses were as follows:

Three months ended December 31, 2014- \$119,387
Year ended September 30, 2014- \$670,742
Year ended September 30, 2013- \$1,169,281

The Company's research and development efforts are supported internally and through contractors at the RATLab LLC, the Invention Development Management Company LLC and other suppliers.

The Company's Patents

On August 9, 2011, the Company was issued US Patent No. 7,996,173 B2 entitled "Method, Apparatus and Article to Facilitate Distributed Evaluation of Objects Using Electromagnetic Energy," by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires August 24, 2029.

On December 13, 2011, the Company was issued US Patent No. 8,076,630 B2 entitled "System and Method of Evaluating an Object Using Electromagnetic Energy" by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires November 7, 2028.

On December 20, 2011, the Company was issued US Patent No. 8,081,304 B2 entitled "Method, Apparatus and Article to Facilitate Evaluation of Objects Using Electromagnetic Energy" by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires July 28, 2030.

On October 9, 2012, the Company was issued US Patent No. 8,285,510 B2 entitled “Method, Apparatus, and Article to Facilitate Distributed Evaluation of Objects Using Electromagnetic Energy” by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires July 31, 2027.

On February 5, 2013, the Company was issued US Patent No. 8,368,878 B2 entitled “Method, Apparatus and Article To Facilitate Evaluation of Objects Using Electromagnetic Energy by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires July 31, 2027.

On November 12, 2013, the Company was issued US Patent No. 8,583,394 B2 entitled “Method, Apparatus and Article To Facilitate Distributed Evaluation of Objects Using Electromagnetic Energy by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires July 31, 2027.

On November 21, 2014, the Company was issued US Patent No. 8,888,207 entitled “Systems, Methods, and Articles Related to Machine-Readable Indicia and Symbols” by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires February 7, 2033.

The Company pursues an aggressive patent strategy to expand our unique intellectual property in the United States and other countries.

Services and License Agreement Invention Development Management Company, L.L.C.

On November 11, 2013, the Company entered into a Services and License Agreement with Invention Development Management Company, L.L.C. (“IDMC”), a Delaware limited liability company. IDMC is affiliated with Intellectual Ventures, which collaborates with inventors, partners with pioneering companies and invests both expertise and capital in the process of invention. On November 19, 2014, the Company entered into an Amendment to Services and License Agreement with IDMC. This Amendment exclusively licenses ten filed patents to the Company.

The Agreement required IDMC to identify and engage investors to develop new applications of the Company’s ChromaID™ development kits, present the developments to the Company for approval, and file at least ten patent applications to protect the developments. IDMC is responsible for the development and patent costs. The Company provided the development kits to IDMC at no cost and is providing ongoing technical support. In addition, to provide time for this accelerated expansion of its intellectual property the Company delayed the selling of the ChromaID development kits for 140 days except for certain select accounts. The Company has continued its business development efforts during this period and has worked with IDMC and their global business development services to secure potential customers and licensees for its technology. The Company shipped twenty ChromaID Lab Kits to inventors in the IDMC network during December 2013 and January 2014.

The Company received a worldwide, nontransferable, exclusive license to the licensed IP developed under this IDMC Agreement dated November 11, 2013, during the term of the Agreement, and solely within the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use, to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer for sale products and services; (b) make improvements; and (c) grant sublicenses of any and all of the foregoing rights (including the right to grant further sublicenses).

The Company received a nonexclusive and nontransferrable option to acquire a worldwide, nontransferrable, nonexclusive license to the useful IP held by IDMC within the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer to sell products and services and (b) grant sublicenses to any and all of the foregoing rights. The option to acquire this license may be exercised for up to two years from the effective date of the Agreement.

IDMC is providing global business development services to the Company, including present Visualant IP and any licensed IP, if applicable, to potential customers, licensees, and distributors in markets or geographies not being pursued by Visualant. Also, IDMC has introduced Visualant to potential customers, licensees, or distributors for the purpose of identifying and closing a license, sale, or distribution deal or other monetization event.

Visualant granted to IDMC a nonexclusive, worldwide, fully paid up, nontransferable, sublicenseable, perpetual license to the Visualant IP, solely outside the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer for sale products and services and (b) grant sublicenses of any and all of the foregoing rights (including the right to grant further sublicenses).

The Company granted to IDMC a nonexclusive, worldwide, fully paid up, royalty-free, nontransferable, nonsublicenseable, perpetual license to access and use Visualant Technology solely for the purpose of marketing the aforementioned sublicenses to the Visualant IP to third parties outside the designated fields of use.

The Company issued a warrant to purchase 14,575,286 shares of common stock as consideration for the exclusive IP license and application development services to IDMC signed on November 11, 2013. The warrant price of \$0.20 per share expires November 10, 2018 and the per share price is subject to adjustment.

The Company has agreed to pay IDMC a percentage of license revenue for the global development business services and a percentage of revenue received from any IDMC introduced company. The Company has also agreed to pay IDMC a royalty when Visualant receives royalty product revenue from an IDMC introduced company.

IDMC has agreed to pay Visualant a license fee for the nonexclusive license of the Visualant IP.

The term of the exclusive IP license and the nonexclusive IP license commences on the effective date of November 11, 2013, and terminates when all claims of the patents expire or are held in valid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction from which no appeal can be taken.

The term of the Agreement commences on the effective date until either party terminates the Agreement at any time following the fifth anniversary of the effective date by providing at least ninety days' prior written notice to the other party.

5. AGREEMENTS WITH SUMITOMO PRECISION PRODUCTS CO., LTD.

On May 31, 2012, the Company entered into a Joint Research and Product Development Agreement with Sumitomo, a publicly-traded Japanese corporation, for the commercialization of our ChromaID™ technology. On March 29, 2013, the Company entered into an Amendment to Joint Research and Product Development Agreement or Amended Agreement with Sumitomo. The Amended Agreement extended the Joint Development Agreement from March 31, 2013 to December 31, 2013, which expired December 31, 2013. The Agreements provided for continuing work between Sumitomo and Visualant focused upon advancing the ChromaID technology and market research aimed at identifying the most significant markets for the ChromaID technology. The current version of the technology, identified as Version 6D, was introduced to the marketplace as a part of our ChromaID Lab Kit during the three months ended December 31, 2013. The Amended Agreement expired December 31, 2013.

Sumitomo invested \$2,250,000 in exchange for 17,307,693 shares of restricted common shares priced at \$0.13 per share that was funded on June 21, 2012. Sumitomo also paid the Company an initial payment of \$1 million in accordance for an exclusive License Agreement for the Spectral Pattern Matching technology which covers Japan, China, Taiwan, Korea and the entirety of Southeast Asia (Burma, Indonesia, Thailand, Cambodia, Laos, Vietnam, Singapore and the Philippines). The Sumitomo License fee was recorded as revenue over the life the Joint Development Agreement and was fully recorded as of May 31, 2013.

Sumitomo is publicly traded in Japan and has operations in Japan, United States, China, United Kingdom, Canada and other parts of the world.

6. ACQUISITION OF TRANSTECH SYSTEMS, INC.

The Company's wholly owned subsidiary, TransTech Systems, Inc., based in Aurora, Oregon, is a distributor of products, including systems solutions, components and consumables, for employee and government identification, document authentication, access control, and radio frequency identification. TransTech provides these products and services, along with marketing and business development assistance to a growing channel of value-added resellers and system integrators throughout North America.

TransTech provides its channel partners pre-and post-sales support in the industry. Technical Services covers training and installation support, in-warranty repair, out of warranty repair, and spares programs. Our customer service team provides full sales, configuration, and logistics services. An increasing number of manufacturers are turning to TransTech Systems for channel development and introduction of their products to our market space.

The Company closed the acquisition of TransTech on June 8, 2010. This acquisition is expected to accelerate market entry and penetration through well-operated and positioned dealers of security and authentication systems, thus creating a natural distribution channel for products featuring the company's proprietary ChromaID technology.

7. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE/CUSTOMER CONCENTRATION

Accounts receivable were \$980,117 and \$815,460, net of allowance, as of December 31, 2014 and September 30, 2014, respectively. The Company had one customer (12.0%) in excess of 10% of our consolidated revenues for the three months ended December 31, 2014. The Company had two customers (21.6% and 12.9%) with accounts receivable in excess of 10% as of December 31, 2014. The Company does expect to have customers with consolidated revenues or accounts receivable balances of 10% of total accounts receivable in the foreseeable future.

8. INVENTORIES

Inventories were \$333,073 and \$412,831 as of December 31, 2014 and September 30, 2014, respectively. Inventories consist primarily of printers and consumable supplies, including ribbons and cards, badge accessories, capture devices, and access control components held for resale. There is a \$15,000 and \$10,000 reserve for impaired inventory as of December 31, 2014 and September 30, 2014, respectively.

9. FIXED ASSETS

Fixed assets, net of accumulated depreciation, was \$426,255 and \$447,236 as of December 31, 2014 and September 30, 2014, respectively. Accumulated depreciation was \$762,248 and \$742,676 as of December 31, 2014 and September 30, 2014, respectively. Total depreciation expense, was \$19,571 and \$12,794 for the three months ended December 31, 2014 and 2013, respectively. All equipment is used for selling, general and administrative purposes and accordingly all depreciation is classified in selling, general and administrative expenses.

Property and equipment as of December 31, 2014 was comprised of the following:

| | Estimated Useful Lives | December 31, 2014 | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| | | Purchased | Capital Leases | Total |
| Machinery and equipment | 2-10 years | \$ 210,922 | \$ 87,038 | \$ 297,960 |
| Leasehold improvements | 5-20 years | 603,612 | - | 603,612 |
| Furniture and fixtures | 3-10 years | 77,039 | 101,260 | 178,299 |
| Software and websites | 3- 7 years | 63,783 | 44,849 | 108,632 |
| Less: accumulated depreciation | | (533,265) | (228,983) | (762,248) |
| | | <u>\$ 422,091</u> | <u>\$ 4,164</u> | <u>\$ 426,255</u> |

10. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

Intangible assets as of December 31, 2014 and September 30, 2014 consisted of the following:

| | Estimated Useful Lives | December 31, 2014 | September 30, 2014 |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Customer contracts | 5 years | \$ 983,645 | \$ 983,645 |
| Technology | 5 years | 712,500 | 712,500 |
| Less: accumulated amortization | | (1,349,299) | (1,264,492) |
| Intangible assets, net | | <u>\$ 346,846</u> | <u>\$ 431,653</u> |

Total amortization expense was \$84,807 and \$84,808 for the three months ended December 31, 2014 and 2013, respectively.

The fair value of the TransTech intellectual property acquired was \$983,645, estimated by using a discounted cash flow approach based on future economic benefits associated with agreements with customers, or through expected continued business activities with its customers. In summary, the estimate was based on a projected income approach and related discounted cash flows over five years, with applicable risk factors assigned to assumptions in the forecasted results.

The fair value of the RATLab intellectual property associated with the assets acquired was \$450,000 estimated by using a discounted cash flow approach based on future economic benefits. In summary, the estimate was based on a projected income approach and related discounted cash flows over five years, with applicable risk factors assigned to assumptions in the forecasted results.

The fair value of the Javelin intellectual property acquired was \$262,500 estimated by using a discounted cash flow approach based on future economic benefits associated with the assets acquired. In summary, the estimate was based on a projected income approach and related discounted cash flows over five years, with applicable risk factors assigned to assumptions in the forecasted results.

11. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Accounts payable were \$2,333,873 and \$2,234,123 as of December 31, 2014 and September 30, 2014, respectively. Such liabilities consisted of amounts due to vendors for inventory purchases and technology development, external audit, legal and other expenses incurred by the Company. The Company had 2 vendors (17.4% and 12.7%) with accounts payable in excess of 10% of its accounts payable as of December 31, 2014. The Company does expect to have vendors with accounts payable balances of 10% of total accounts payable in the foreseeable future.

12. CONVERTIBLE NOTES PAYABLE

The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on August 25, 2014 for \$103,500. The Note is due May 27, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on September 23, 2014 for \$63,000. The Note is due June 26, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Notes are convertible at 65% of the average of the lowest three day trading price in the 10 days prior to conversion; however, the Notes are not convertible until the second quarter of fiscal year 2015. The Notes provided short term working capital while funding closes and the Company expects to repay the Notes at the closing of funding. The Company has accrued interest of \$4,293 as of December 31, 2014. The Company has recorded a derivative liability for the conversion discount in the amount of \$166,500 at December 31, 2014.

13. NOTES PAYABLE, CAPITALIZED LEASES AND LONG TERM DEBT

Notes payable, capitalized leases and long term debt as of December 31, 2014 and September 30, 2014 consisted of the following:

| | December 31, 2014 | September 30, 2014 |
|---|----------------------|-----------------------|
| BFI Business Finance Secured Credit Facility | \$ 544,524 | \$ 488,398 |
| Note payable to Umpqua Bank | 200,000 | 200,000 |
| Secured note payable to J3E2A2Z LP - related party | 600,000 | 600,000 |
| TransTech capitalized leases, net of capitalized interest | 1,830 | 2,562 |
| Total debt | 1,346,354 | 1,290,960 |
| Less current portion of long term debt | (1,346,354) | (1,290,960) |
| Long term debt | \$ - | \$ - |

Capital Source Business Finance Group Secured Credit Facility

The Company finances its TransTech operations from operations and a Secured Credit Facility with Capital Source Business Finance Group. On December 9, 2008 TransTech entered into a \$1,000,000 secured credit facility with Capital Source to fund its operations. On December 12, 2014, the secured credit facility was renewed for an additional six months, with a floor for prime interest of 4.5% (currently 4.5%) plus 2.5%. The eligible borrowing is based on 80% of eligible trade accounts receivable, not to exceed \$1,000,000. The secured credit facility is collateralized by the assets of TransTech, with a guarantee by Visualant, including all assets of Visualant. Availability under this Secured Credit ranges from \$0 to \$175,000 (\$72,481 as of December 31, 2014) on a daily basis. The remaining balance on the accounts receivable line (\$544,524) as of December 31, 2014 must be repaid by the time the secured credit facility expires on June 12, 2015, or the Company renews by automatic extension for the next successive six month term.

Note Payable to Umpqua Bank/ Ronald P. Erickson or J3E2A2Z LP

On December 19, 2013, the Company entered into a \$200,000 Note Payable with Umpqua Bank. The Note Payable has a maturity date of December 31, 2014 and provided for interest of 2.79%, subject to adjustment annually. On December 19, 2014, this Note Payable maturity date was extended to December 31, 2015 and provides for interest at 3.25%.

The cash from the Note Payable was received on January 14, 2014. Related to this Note Payable and in the case of a default by the Company, the Company entered into a Demand Promissory Note for \$200,000 on January 10, 2014 with Mr. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest. On March 31, 2014, the Company entered into an Amendment to the Demand Promissory Note which extended the due date of this from March 31, 2014 to June 30, 2014. On July 17, 2014, the Company entered into Amendment 2 to the Demand Promissory Note which extended the due date from June 30, 2014 to September 30, 2014. On December 31, 2014, the Company entered into Amendment 3 to the Demand Promissory Note which extended the due date from September 30, 2014 to March 31, 2015. The Note provides for interest of 3% per annum and provides for a second lien on company assets if not repaid by March 31, 2015 or converted into convertible debentures or equity on terms acceptable to the Holder. The Company has recorded accrued interest of \$5,852 as of December 31, 2014.

Note Payables to Ronald P. Erickson or J3E2A2Z LP

On March 31, 2014, the Company entered into a Demand Promissory Note for \$300,000 with Mr. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest. On July 17, 2014, the Company entered into an Amendment to Demand Promissory Note which extended the due date of this from June 30, 2014 to September 30, 2014. On December 31, 2014, the Company entered into Amendment 2 to Demand Promissory Note which extended the due date of this from September 30, 2014 to March 31, 2015. The Note provides for interest of 3% per annum and provides for a second lien on company assets if not repaid by March 31, 2015 or converted into convertible debentures or equity on terms acceptable to the Holder. The Company has recorded accrued interest of \$6,781 as of December 31, 2014.

On July 17, 2014, the Company entered into a Demand Promissory Note for \$300,000 with Mr. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest. On December 31, 2014, the Company entered into an Amendment to Demand Promissory Note for \$300,000 which extended the due date of this from September 30, 2014 to March 31, 2015. The Note provides for a second lien on company assets if not repaid by March 31, 2015 or converted into convertible debentures or equity on terms acceptable to the Holder. The Company has recorded accrued interest of \$4,142 as of December 31, 2014.

Capitalized Leases

TransTech has capitalized leases for equipment. The leases have a remaining lease term of seven months. The imputed interest rate in the capitalized leases is approximately 10.5%.

Aggregate maturities totaling \$1,346,354 are all due within twelve months.

14. EQUITY

Series A Convertible Preferred Stock

On January 26, 2015, the Board of Directors and the Nevada Secretary of State approved a Certificate of Designations, Preference and Rights for Series A Convertible Preferred Stock. The Company's Series A Preferred is \$0.10 par value, with 50,000,000 shares authorized and as of January 13, 2015, we had 3,000,000 shares issued and outstanding. Each holder of outstanding shares of Series A Preferred shall be entitled to the number of votes equal to the number of whole shares of common stock of the Corporation into which the shares of Series A Preferred held by such holder are then convertible as of the applicable record date. The Company cannot not amend, alter or repeal any preferences, rights, or other terms of the Series A Preferred so as to adversely affect the Series A Preferred, without the written consent or affirmative vote of the holders of at least sixty-six and two-thirds percent (66.66%) of the then outstanding shares of Series A Preferred, voting as a separate voting group, given by written consent or by vote at a meeting called for such purpose for which notice shall have been duly given to the holders of the Series A Preferred.

During the three months ended December 31, 2014, the Company sold 3,000,000 Series A Preferred to one accredited investor of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock totaling \$300,000 that is convertible into 3,000,000 shares of common stock at \$0.10 over the next five years. The Preferred Series A has voting rights and may not be called. The Company also issued (i) a Series C five year Warrant for 3,000,000 shares of common stock at \$0.20 per share, which is callable at \$0.40 per share; and (ii)) a Series D five year Warrant for 3,000,000 shares of common stock at \$0.30 per share, which is callable at \$0.60 per share. The Preferred Series A and Series C and D Warrants have registration rights upon the closing of the offering. A notice filing under Regulation D will be filed with the SEC upon the closing of the offering.

Common Stock

Unless otherwise indicated, all of the following sales or issuances of Company securities were conducted under the exemption from registration as provided under Section 4(2) of the Securities Act of 1933 (and also qualified for exemption under 4(5), formerly 4(6) of the Securities Act of 1933, except as noted below). All of the shares issued were issued in transactions not involving a public offering, are considered to be restricted stock as defined in Rule 144 promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933 and stock certificates issued with respect thereto bear legends to that effect.

The Company has compensated consultants and service providers with restricted common stock during the development of our technology and when our capital resources were not adequate to provide payment in cash.

All of the following transactions were to accredited investors.

The following equity issuances occurred during the three months ended December 31, 2014:

On December 14, 2014, we entered into an Advisory Agreement with Lester Garfinkel for financial consulting services. Under the Advisory Agreement, Mr. Garfinkel was awarded 25,000 shares of our common stock. The shares were valued at \$0.20 per share by the parties. We expensed \$2,500 during the three months ended December 31, 2014 or \$0.10, the closing price on December 14, 2014.

Warrants to Purchase Common Stock

The following warrant issuances occurred during the three months ended December 31, 2014:

The Company issued (i) a Series C five year Warrant for 3,000,000 shares of common stock at \$0.20 per share, which is callable at \$0.40 per share; and (ii)) a Series D five year Warrant for 3,000,000 shares of common stock at \$0.30 per share, which is callable at \$0.60 per share. During the three months ended December 31, 2014, the Company sold 3,000,000 Series A Preferred to one accredited investor of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock totaling \$300,000 that is convertible into 3,000,000 shares of common stock at \$0.10 over the next five years.

During the three months ended December 31, 2014, the Company expensed \$0 related to warrants.

A summary of the warrants issued as of December 31, 2014 were as follows:

| December 31, 2014 | | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|--|
| | Shares | Weighted Average Exercise Price |
| Outstanding at beginning of period | 128,555,286 | \$ 0.175 |
| Issued | 6,000,000 | 0.250 |
| Exercised | - | - |
| Forfeited | - | - |
| Expired | - | - |
| Outstanding at end of period | 134,555,286 | \$ 0.178 |
| Exerciseable at end of period | 134,555,286 | |

A summary of the status of the warrants outstanding as of December 31, 2014 is presented below:

| December 31, 2014 | | | | |
|-----------------------|--|--|------------------------|--|
| Number of Warrants | Weighted Average Remaining Life (In Years) | Weighted Average Exercise Price | Shares Exerciseable | Weighted Average Exercise Price |
| 6,330,000 | 2.86 | \$ 0.10-.13 | 6,330,000 | \$ 0.10-.13 |
| 52,300,000 | 3.38 | 0.150 | 52,300,000 | 0.150 |
| 75,925,286 | 3.59 | 0.200 | 75,925,286 | 0.200 |
| 134,555,286 | 3.50 | 0.178 | 134,555,286 | 0.178 |

The significant weighted average assumptions relating to the valuation of the Company's warrants for the period ended December 31, 2014 were as follows:

| | |
|-------------------------|------|
| Dividend yield | 0% |
| Expected life | 3 |
| Expected volatility | 90% |
| Risk free interest rate | 0.7% |

There were vested warrants of 5,830,000 as of December 31, 2014 with an aggregate intrinsic value of \$58,300.

15. STOCK OPTIONS

Description of Stock Option Plan

On April 29, 2011, the 2011 Stock Incentive Plan was approved at the Annual Stockholder Meeting. The Company was authorized to issue options for, and has reserved for issuance, up to 7,000,000 shares of common stock under the 2011 Stock Incentive Plan. On March 21, 2013, an amendment to the Stock Option Plan was approved by the stockholders of the Company, increasing the number of shares reserved for issuance under the Plan to 14,000,000 shares.

Determining Fair Value under ASC 505

The Company records compensation expense associated with stock options and other equity-based compensation using the Black-Scholes-Merton option valuation model for estimating fair value of stock options granted under our plan. The Company amortizes the fair value of stock options on a ratable basis over the requisite service periods, which are generally the vesting periods. The expected life of awards granted represents the period of time that they are expected to be outstanding. The Company estimates the volatility of our common stock based on the historical volatility of its own common stock over the most recent period corresponding with the estimated expected life of the award. The Company bases the risk-free interest rate used in the Black Scholes-Merton option valuation model on the implied yield currently available on U.S. Treasury zero-coupon issues with an equivalent remaining term equal to the expected life of the award. The Company has not paid any cash dividends on our common stock and does not anticipate paying any cash dividends in the foreseeable future. Consequently, the Company uses an expected dividend yield of zero in the Black-Scholes-Merton option valuation model and adjusts share-based compensation for changes to the estimate of expected equity award forfeitures based on actual forfeiture experience. The effect of adjusting the forfeiture rate is recognized in the period the forfeiture estimate is changed.

Stock Option Activity

The Company had the following stock option transactions during the three months ended December 31, 2014:

During the three months ended December 31, 2014, two employees of TransTech, forfeited stock option grants for 200,000 shares of common stock at \$0.12 per share.

There are currently 12,900,000 options to purchase common stock at an average exercise price of \$0.125 per share outstanding as of December 31, 2014 under the 2011 Stock Incentive Plan. The Company recorded \$20,835 and \$23,503 of compensation expense, net of related tax effects, relative to stock options for the three months ended December 31, 2014 and 2013 in accordance with ASC 505. Net loss per share (basic and diluted) associated with this expense was approximately (\$0.00). At December 31, 2014, there is approximately \$308,565 of total unrecognized costs related to employee granted stock options that are not vested. These costs are expected to be recognized over a period of approximately 5.09 years.

Stock option activity for the three months ended December 31, 2014 and the years ended September 30, 2014 and 2013 was as follows:

| | Options | Weighted Average Exercise Price | \$ |
|--------------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|
| Outstanding as of September 30, 2012 | 5,920,000 | 0.131 | 776,800 |
| Granted | 6,830,000 | 0.122 | 836,000 |
| Exercised | - | - | - |
| Forfeitures | (15,000) | (0.240) | (3,600) |
| Outstanding as of September 30, 2013 | 12,735,000 | 0.126 | 1,609,200 |
| Granted | 395,000 | 0.100 | 39,500 |
| Exercised | - | - | - |
| Forfeitures | (30,000) | (0.217) | (6,500) |
| Outstanding as of September 30, 2014 | 13,100,000 | 0.125 | 1,642,200 |
| Granted | - | - | - |
| Exercised | - | - | - |
| Forfeitures | (200,000) | (0.120) | (24,000) |
| Outstanding as of December 31, 2014 | 12,900,000 | \$ 0.125 | \$ 1,618,200 |

The following table summarizes information about stock options outstanding and exercisable as of December 31, 2014:

| Range of Exercise Prices | Number Outstanding | Weighted Average Remaining Life In Years | Weighted Average Exercise Price Exercisable | Number Exercisable | Weighted Average Exercise Price Exercisable |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|---|--|-----------------------|--|
| 0.090 | 500,000 | 5.39 years | \$ 0.090 | 500,000 | \$ 0.090 |
| 0.100 | 4,020,000 | 5.36 years | 0.100 | 2,765,417 | 0.100 |
| 0.130 | 5,100,000 | 4.93 years | 0.130 | 4,683,333 | 0.130 |
| 0.150 | 3,100,000 | 5.39 years | 0.150 | 3,100,000 | 0.150 |
| 0.240 | 180,000 | .63 years | 0.240 | 180,000 | 0.240 |
| | 12,900,000 | 5.09 years | \$ 0.125 | 11,228,750 | \$ 0.133 |

There were exercisable options of 3,265,417 as of December 31, 2014 with an aggregate intrinsic value of \$37,654.

16. OTHER SIGNIFICANT TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES

Related Party Transactions with Ronald P. Erickson

See Note 13 for Notes Payable to Ronald P. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer Chief and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest. In addition, the Company recorded advances from Mr. Erickson of \$268,010 as of December 31, 2014 as accrued liabilities – related parties.

17. COMMITMENTS, CONTINGENCIES AND LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

There are no pending legal proceedings against the Company that are expected to have a material adverse effect on its cash flows, financial condition or results of operations.

EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS

Mr. Erickson, Mr. Scott and other named executive officers of Visualant do not have employment agreements.

LEASES

The Company is obligated under various non-cancelable operating leases for their various facilities and certain equipment.

Corporate Offices

The Company's executive office is located at 500 Union Street, Suite 420, Seattle, Washington, USA, 98101. On August 1, 2012, the Company entered into an Office Lease with Logan Building LLC for 2,244 square feet and which expired August 31, 2014. The monthly lease rate was \$1,944 for the year ending August 31, 2013 and \$2,028 for the year ending August 31, 2014. On June 14, 2013, the Company entered into Amendment One to the Office Lease, increasing our monthly payment to \$3,978 through August 31, 2013, \$4,057 from September 1, 2013 to May 31, 2014 and \$4,140 from June 1, 2014 through August 31, 2014. On June 18, 2014, the Company entered into the Second Amendment to the Office Lease, which maintained our net monthly payment at \$4,057. On December 18, 2014, the Company entered into the Third Amendment to the Office Lease reducing our square footage to 2,244 square feet and decreasing our net monthly payment to \$2,535 through the expiration date of February 28, 2015.

TransTech Facilities

TransTech is located at 12142 NE Sky Lane, Suite 130, Aurora, OR 97002. TransTech leases a total of approximately 9,750 square feet of office and warehouse space for its administrative offices, product inventory and shipping operations, at a monthly rental of \$4,292. The lease was extended from March 2011 for an additional five year term at a monthly rental of \$4,751. There are two additional five year renewals with a set accelerating increase of 10% per 5 year term.

The aggregate future minimum lease payments under operating leases as of December 31, 2014 were \$62,162 and \$9,502 for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013, respectively.

18. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Company evaluates subsequent events, for the purpose of adjustment or disclosure, up through the date the financial statements are available.

Subsequent to December 31, 2014, the following material transactions occurred:

On January 26, 2015, the Company approved (i) the cancellation of 1,150,000 in previously issued stock option grants from two employees; (ii) the issuance of 1,350,000 shares of common stock to board members and employees at \$.10 per share in accordance with the 2011 Stock Incentive Plan; and (iii) the issuance of stock option grants to employees totaling 1,700,000 shares at \$.10 per share in accordance with the 2011 Stock Incentive Plan. The stock option grants vest upon the achievement of performance targets during 2015.

The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on January 27, 2015 for \$64,000. The Note is due October 27, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Note is convertible at 65% of the average of the lowest three day trading price in the 10 days prior to conversion; however, the Notes are not convertible until the first quarter of fiscal year 2016. The Note provides short term working capital while funding closes and the Company expects to repay the Notes at the closing of funding.

Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

The Board of Directors and Shareholders
Visualant, Inc.:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of Visualant, Inc. (the “Company”) as of September 30, 2014 and 2013 and the related consolidated statements of operations, stockholders’ (deficit) equity, and cash flows for the years ended September 30, 2014 and 2013. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company’s management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. The Company is not required to have, nor were we engaged to perform, an audit of its internal control over financial reporting. Our audits included consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company’s internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Visualant, Inc. as of September 30, 2014 and 2013, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years ended September 30, 2014 and 2013 in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America.

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared assuming that the Company will continue as a going concern. As discussed in Note 2 to the financial statements, the Company has sustained a net loss from operations and has an accumulated deficit since inception. These factors raise substantial doubt about the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern. Management’s plans in this regard are also described in Note 2. The financial statements do not include any adjustments that might result from the outcome of this uncertainty.

PMB Helin Donovan, LLP

/s/ PMB Helin Donovan, LLP

January 13, 2015
Seattle, Washington

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

| | <u>September 30, 2014</u> | <u>September 30, 2013</u> |
|---|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| ASSETS | | |
| CURRENT ASSETS: | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 70,386 | \$ 747,129 |
| Accounts receivable, net of allowance of \$40,750 and \$40,750, respectively | 815,460 | 1,007,074 |
| Prepaid expenses | 25,067 | 56,531 |
| Inventories | 412,831 | 600,790 |
| Refundable tax assets | 29,590 | 29,773 |
| Total current assets | <u>1,353,334</u> | <u>2,441,297</u> |
| EQUIPMENT, NET | 447,236 | 427,215 |
| OTHER ASSETS | | |
| Intangible assets, net | 431,653 | 770,882 |
| Goodwill | 983,645 | 983,645 |
| Other assets | <u>5,070</u> | <u>6,161</u> |
| TOTAL ASSETS | <u>\$ 3,220,938</u> | <u>\$ 4,629,200</u> |
| LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' (DEFICIT) | | |
| CURRENT LIABILITIES: | | |
| Accounts payable - trade | \$ 2,234,123 | \$ 2,301,149 |
| Accounts payable - related parties | 66,729 | 66,025 |
| Accrued expenses | 31,369 | 80,926 |
| Accrued expenses - related parties | 260,687 | - |
| Derivative liability - warrants | 2,579,157 | 4,184,000 |
| Convertible notes payable | 166,500 | - |
| Notes payable - current portion of long term debt | <u>1,290,960</u> | <u>753,129</u> |
| Total current liabilities | <u>6,629,525</u> | <u>7,385,229</u> |
| LONG TERM LIABILITIES: | | |
| Long term debt | <u>-</u> | <u>1,894</u> |
| COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES | - | - |
| STOCKHOLDERS' DEFICIT | | |
| Preferred stock - \$0.001 par value, 50,000,000 shares authorized, no shares issued and outstanding | - | - |
| Common stock - \$0.001 par value, 500,000,000 shares authorized, 168,163,674 and 165,263,674 shares issued and outstanding at 9/30/14 and 9/30/13, respectively | 168,164 | 165,264 |
| Additional paid in capital | 17,958,368 | 17,565,568 |
| Accumulated deficit | <u>(21,535,119)</u> | <u>(20,537,825)</u> |
| Total stockholders' deficit | <u>(3,408,587)</u> | <u>(2,806,993)</u> |
| Noncontrolling interest | <u>-</u> | <u>49,070</u> |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' DEFICIT | <u>\$ 3,220,938</u> | <u>\$ 4,629,200</u> |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

| | Years Ended, | |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | September 30, 2014 | September 30, 2013 |
| REVENUE | \$ 7,983,352 | \$ 8,572,799 |
| COST OF SALES | 6,694,274 | 6,717,192 |
| GROSS PROFIT | 1,289,078 | 1,855,607 |
| RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES | 670,742 | 1,169,281 |
| SELLING, GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES | 3,179,699 | 4,580,653 |
| OPERATING LOSS | (2,561,363) | (3,894,327) |
| OTHER INCOME (EXPENSE): | | |
| Interest expense | (104,808) | (173,248) |
| Other income | 38,534 | 31,881 |
| Gain (loss) on change - derivative liability warrants | 1,604,843 | (1,448,710) |
| Loss on purchase of warrants and additional investment right | - | (1,150,000) |
| Total other income (expense) | 1,538,569 | (2,740,077) |
| LOSS BEFORE INCOME TAXES | (1,022,794) | (6,634,404) |
| Income taxes - current benefit | (5,513) | (29,773) |
| NET LOSS | (1,017,281) | (6,604,631) |
| NONCONTROLLING INTEREST | - | 17,263 |
| NET (LOSS) ATTRIBUTABLE TO VISUALANT, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES COMMON SHAREHOLDERS | <u>\$ (1,017,281)</u> | <u>\$ (6,621,894)</u> |
| Basic and diluted income (loss) per common share attributable to Visualant, Inc. and subsidiaries common shareholders- | | |
| Basic and diluted income (loss) per share | <u>\$ (0.01)</u> | <u>\$ (0.05)</u> |
| Weighted average shares of common stock outstanding- basic and diluted | 166,344,657 | 122,934,436 |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN STOCKHOLDERS' (DEFICIT) EQUITY

| | Common Stock | | Additional | Accumulated | Total |
|---|--------------|------------|---------------|-----------------|----------------|
| | Shares | Amount | Paid in | Deficit | Stockholders' |
| | | | Capital | | (Deficit) |
| Balance as of September 30, 2012 | 90,992,954 | \$ 90,993 | \$ 13,995,554 | \$ (13,915,931) | \$ 170,616 |
| Stock compensation expense - employee options | - | - | 250,013 | - | 250,013 |
| Issuance of common stock for services | 2,800,000 | 2,800 | 311,700 | - | 314,500 |
| Issuance of common stock | 53,293,049 | 53,293 | 2,063,789 | - | 2,117,082 |
| Issuance of common stock for debenture conversion | 15,000,000 | 15,000 | 735,000 | - | 750,000 |
| Issuance of common stock for accrued liabilities | 2,612,603 | 2,613 | 134,017 | - | 136,630 |
| Issuance of common stock for warrants - cashless | 4,565,068 | 4,564 | (4,564) | - | - |
| Issuance of warrants for services | - | - | 76,060 | - | 76,060 |
| Retirement of option shares | (4,000,000) | (3,999) | 3,999 | - | - |
| Net loss | - | - | - | (6,621,894) | (6,621,894) |
| Comprehensive loss | | | | | (6,621,894) |
| Balance as of September 30, 2013 | 165,263,674 | \$ 165,264 | \$ 17,565,568 | \$ (20,537,825) | \$ (2,806,993) |
| Stock compensation expense - employee options | - | - | 87,550 | - | 87,550 |
| Issuance of common stock for services | 1,300,000 | 1,300 | 89,700 | - | 91,000 |
| Issuance of common stock for debt conversion | 1,600,000 | 1,600 | 158,400 | - | 160,000 |
| Issuance of warrants for services | - | - | 57,150 | - | 57,150 |
| Sale of noncontrolling interest | - | - | - | 19,987 | 19,987 |
| Net loss | - | - | - | (1,017,281) | (1,017,281) |
| Comprehensive loss | | | | | (1,017,281) |
| Balance as of September 30, 2014 | 168,163,674 | \$ 168,164 | \$ 17,958,368 | \$ (21,535,119) | \$ (3,408,587) |

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VISUALANT, INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

VISUALANT, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

| | Years Ended, | |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|
| | September 30, 2014 | September 30, 2013 |
| CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES: | | |
| Net loss | \$ (1,017,281) | \$ (6,604,631) |
| Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash (used in) operating activities | | |
| Depreciation and amortization | 418,271 | 397,871 |
| Issuance of capital stock for services and expenses | 91,000 | 314,500 |
| Issuance of warrants for services and expenses | 57,150 | 76,060 |
| Issuance of capital stock for accrued liabilities | 160,000 | 136,630 |
| Stock based compensation | 87,550 | 250,013 |
| Loss on sale of assets | (28,363) | (4,923) |
| (Gain) loss on change - derivative liability warrants | (1,604,843) | 1,448,710 |
| Provision for losses on accounts receivable | 36 | 29,281 |
| Changes in operating assets and liabilities: | | |
| Accounts receivable | 191,578 | (23,658) |
| Prepaid expenses | 31,464 | 166,447 |
| Inventory | 87,959 | (256,098) |
| Other assets | 1,091 | - |
| Loss on purchase of warrants and additional investment right | - | 850,000 |
| Accounts payable - trade and accrued expenses | 144,808 | 383,342 |
| Deferred revenue | - | (666,667) |
| Income tax receivable | 183 | (457) |
| CASH (USED IN) OPERATING ACTIVITIES | (1,379,397) | (3,503,580) |
| CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES: | | |
| Capital expenditures | - | (25,841) |
| Proceeds from sale of equipment | 29,300 | 13,908 |
| NET CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN) INVESTING ACTIVITIES: | 29,300 | (11,933) |
| CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES: | | |
| (Repayments) payments from line of credit | (260,925) | 308,988 |
| Proceeds from notes payable | 200,000 | - |
| Proceeds from notes payable- related party | 600,000 | - |
| Proceeds from convertible notes payable | 166,500 | - |
| Repayment of debt | - | (2,027,640) |
| Proceeds from the issuance of common stock | - | 4,852,372 |
| Repayments of capital leases | (3,138) | (12,243) |
| Change in noncontrolling interest | (29,083) | - |
| NET CASH PROVIDED BY FINANCING ACTIVITIES | 673,354 | 3,121,477 |
| NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS | (676,743) | (394,036) |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, beginning of period | 747,129 | 1,141,165 |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, end of period | \$ 70,386 | \$ 747,129 |
| Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information: | | |
| Interest paid | \$ 52,755 | \$ 112,076 |
| Taxes paid | \$ - | \$ - |
| Non-cash investing and financing activities: | | |
| Debt converted to common stock | \$ - | \$ 750,000 |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES
NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. ORGANIZATION

Visualant, Inc. (the “Company” or “Visualant”) was incorporated under the laws of the State of Nevada on October 8, 1998 with authorized common stock of 500,000,000 shares at \$0.001 par value. On September 13, 2002, 50,000,000 shares of preferred stock with a par value of \$0.001 were authorized by the shareholders. There are no preferred shares issued and the terms have not been determined. The Company’s executive offices are located in Seattle, Washington.

The Company has invented a way to shine light at a material (solid surface, liquid, or gas) and measure the amount of light that is reflected back. The pattern of this reflected light is compared to other patterns the Company has captured and this allows the Company to identify, detect, or diagnose materials that cannot be identified by the human eye. The Company refers to this pattern of reflected light as a ChromaID™. The Company designs ChromaID Scanner devices made with electronic, optical, and software parts to produce and capture the light.

The Company’s first product, the ChromaID Lab Kit, scans and identifies solid surfaces. The Company is marketing this product to customers who are considering licensing the technology. Target markets include, but are not limited to, commercial paint manufacturers, pharmaceutical equipment manufacturers, process control companies, currency paper and ink manufacturers, security card, reader, and scanner manufacturers, food processing, and electronic gaming.

Through our wholly owned subsidiary, TransTech Systems, Inc., based in Aurora, Oregon, the Company provides value added security and authentication solutions to corporate and government security and law enforcement markets throughout the United States.

On November 11, 2013, the Company entered into a Services and License Agreement with Invention Development Management Company, L.L.C. (“IDMC”), a Delaware limited liability company. IDMC is affiliated with Intellectual Ventures, which collaborates with inventors, partners with pioneering companies and invests both expertise and capital in the process of invention. On November 19, 2014, the Company entered into an Amendment to Services and License Agreement with IDMC. This Amendment exclusively licenses ten filed patents to the Company.

On June 10, 2013, the Company entered into a Purchase Agreement, Warrants, Registration Rights Agreement and Voting Agreement with Special Situations and forty other accredited investors pursuant to which we issued 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.10 per share for a total of \$5,230,000, which amount includes the conversion of \$500,000 in outstanding debt of the Company owed to one of its officers. As part of the transaction which closed on June 14, 2013, the Company issued to the investors (i) five year Series A Warrants to purchase a total of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.15 per share; and (ii) five year Series B Warrants to purchase a total of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.20 per share. The transaction was entered into to strengthen our balance sheet, complete the purchase of our TransTech subsidiary, and provide working capital to support the rapid movement of our ChromaID technology into the marketplace.

To date, the Company been issued seven patents by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. See page 38 for more detailed information regarding the Company’s patents and business.

2. GOING CONCERN

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis, which contemplates the realization of assets and the satisfaction of liabilities in the normal course of business. The Company incurred net losses of \$1,017,281 and \$6,604,631 for the years ended September 30, 2014 and 2013, respectively. Our net cash used in operating activities was \$1,404,462 for the year ended September 30, 2014.

The Company anticipates that it will record losses from operations for the foreseeable future. As of September 30, 2014, our accumulated deficit was \$21,535,119. The Company has limited capital resources, and operations to date have been funded with the proceeds from private equity and debt financings and loans from Ronald P. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer. These conditions raise substantial doubt about our ability to continue as a going concern. The audit report prepared by our independent registered public accounting firm relating to our financial statements for the year ended September 30, 2014 includes an explanatory paragraph expressing the substantial doubt about our ability to continue as a going concern.

Continuation of the Company as a going concern is dependent upon obtaining additional working capital. The financial statements do not include any adjustments that might be necessary if we are unable to continue as a going concern.

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED AND SUBSIDIARIES
NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES: ADOPTION OF ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

BASIS OF PRESENTATION - The accompanying unaudited consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company. Intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated. The preparation of these unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP").

PRINCIPLES OF CONSOLIDATION - The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its wholly owned and majority-owned subsidiaries, TransTech Systems, Inc. Inter-Company items and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - The Company classifies highly liquid temporary investments with an original maturity of three months or less when purchased as cash equivalents. The Company maintains cash balances at various financial institutions. Balances at US banks are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation up to \$250,000. The Company has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not exposed to any significant risk for cash on deposit.

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE AND ALLOWANCE FOR DOUBTFUL ACCOUNTS - Accounts receivable consist primarily of amounts due to the Company from normal business activities. The Company maintains an allowance for doubtful accounts to reflect the expected non-collection of accounts receivable based on past collection history and specific risks identified within the portfolio. If the financial condition of the customers were to deteriorate resulting in an impairment of their ability to make payments, or if payments from customers are significantly delayed, additional allowances might be required.

INVENTORIES - Inventories consist primarily of printers and consumable supplies, including ribbons and cards, badge accessories, capture devices, and access control components held for resale and are stated at the lower of cost or market on the first-in, first-out ("FIFO") method. Inventories are considered available for resale when drop shipped and invoiced directly to a customer from a vendor, or when physically received by TransTech at a warehouse location. The Company records a provision for excess and obsolete inventory whenever an impairment has been identified. There is a \$10,000 reserve for impaired inventory as of September 30, 2014 and 2013.

EQUIPMENT - Equipment consists of machinery, leasehold improvements, furniture and fixtures and software, which are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and amortization. Depreciation is computed by the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives or lease period of the relevant asset, generally 2-10 years, except for leasehold improvements which are depreciated over 5-20 years.

INTANGIBLE ASSETS / INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY - The Company amortizes the intangible assets and intellectual property acquired in connection with the acquisition of TransTech, over sixty months on a straight - line basis, which was the time frame that the management of the Company was able to project forward for future revenue, either under agreement or through expected continued business activities. Intangible assets and intellectual property acquired from RATLab LLC and Javelin are recorded likewise. The Company performs annual assessments and has determined that no impairment is necessary. On June 7, 2011, the Company closed the acquisition of all Visualant related assets of the RATLab LLC, namely the rights to the medical field of use of the Chroma ID technology. On July 31, 2012, the Company closed the acquisition of all rights to the ChromaID technology in the environmental field of use from Javelin LLC.

GOODWILL - Goodwill is the excess of cost of an acquired entity over the fair value of amounts assigned to assets acquired and liabilities assumed in a business combination. With the adoption of ASC 350, goodwill is not amortized, rather it is tested for impairment annually, and will be tested for impairment between annual tests if an event occurs or circumstances change that would indicate the carrying amount may be impaired. Impairment testing for goodwill is done at a reporting unit level. Reporting units are one level below the business segment level, but are combined when reporting units within the same segment have similar economic characteristics. Under the criteria set forth by ASC 350, the Company has one reporting unit based on the current structure. An impairment loss generally would be recognized when the carrying amount of the reporting unit's net assets exceeds the estimated fair value of the reporting unit. The Company performs annual assessments and has determined that no impairment is necessary.

LONG-LIVED ASSETS - The Company reviews its long-lived assets for impairment annually or when changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of an asset may not be recoverable. Long-lived assets under certain circumstances are reported at the lower of carrying amount or fair value. Assets to be disposed of and assets not expected to provide any future service potential to the Company are recorded at the lower of carrying amount or fair value (less the projected cost associated with selling the asset). To the extent carrying values exceed fair values, an impairment loss is recognized in operating results.

FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS AND FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS - ASC Topic 820, *Fair Value Measurement and Disclosures*, defines fair value as the exchange price that would be received for an asset or paid to transfer a liability (an exit price) in the principal or most advantageous market for the asset or liability in an orderly transaction between market participants on the measurement date. This topic also establishes a fair value hierarchy, which requires classification based on observable and unobservable inputs when measuring fair value. The fair value hierarchy distinguishes between assumptions based on market data (observable inputs) and an entity's own assumptions (unobservable inputs). The hierarchy consists of three levels:

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Level 1 – Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and liabilities;

Level 2 – Inputs other than level one inputs that are either directly or indirectly observable; and

Level 3 – Unobservable inputs developed using estimates and assumptions, which are developed by the reporting entity and reflect those assumptions that a market participant would use.

Derivative Instruments – Warrants with the June 2013 Private Placement

| Financial Instruments | Fair Value Measurements Using Inputs | | | Carrying Amount at September 30, 2014 |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------|---------|---------------------------------------|
| | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | |
| Liabilities: | | | | |
| Derivative Instruments - Warrants | \$ - | \$ 2,092,000 | \$ - | \$ 2,092,000 |
| Total | \$ - | \$ 2,092,000 | \$ - | \$ 2,092,000 |

Liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis are summarized as follows:

| | September 30, 2014 |
|--|--------------------|
| Market price and estimated fair value of common stock: | \$ 0.080 |
| Exercise price | \$ 0.15-0.20 |
| Expected term (years) | 3-5 years |
| Divident yield | - |
| Expected volatility | 65.5% |
| Risk-free interest rate | 0.78% |

The risk-free rate of return reflects the interest rate for the United States Treasury Note with similar time-to-maturity to that of the warrants.

The Company issued warrants to 104,600,000 shares of common stock in connection with the June 2013 Private Placement of 52,300,000 shares of common stock. The strike price of these warrants is \$0.15 to \$0.20 per share. These warrants were not issued with the intent of effectively hedging any future cash flow, fair value of any asset, liability or any net investment in a foreign operation. These warrants were issued with a down-round provision whereby the exercise price would be adjusted downward in the event that additional shares of the Company's common stock or securities exercisable, convertible or exchangeable for the Company's common stock were issued at a price less than the exercise price. Therefore, the fair value of these warrants were recorded as a liability in the consolidated balance sheet and are marked to market each reporting period until they are exercised or expire or otherwise extinguished.

The proceeds from the Private Placement were allocated between the Common Shares and the Warrants issued in connection with the Private Placement based upon their estimated fair values as of the closing date at June 14, 2013, resulting in the aggregate amount of \$2,494,710 to the Stockholders' Equity and \$2,735,290 to the warrant derivative. The Company recognized \$1,448,710 of other expense resulting from the increase in the fair value of the warrant liability at September 30, 2013. During the year ended September 30, 2014, the Company recognized \$2,092,000 of other income resulting from the decrease in the fair value of the warrant liability at June 30, 2014.

Derivative Instruments – Warrant with the November 2013 IDMC Services and License Agreement:

| | Fair Value Measurements Using Inputs | | | Carrying Amount at |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------|---------|--------------------|
| Financial Instruments | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | September 30, 2014 |
| Liabilities: | | | | |
| Derivative Instruments - Warrants | \$ - | \$ 320,657 | \$ - | \$ 320,657 |
| Total | \$ - | \$ 320,657 | \$ - | \$ 320,657 |

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Liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis are summarized as follows:

| | September 30, 2014 |
|--|--------------------|
| Market price and estimated fair value of common stock: | 0.08 |
| Exercise price | 0.20 |
| Expected term (years) | 5 |
| Divident yield | - |
| Expected volatility | 65.5% |
| Risk-free interest rate | 0.78% |

The risk-free rate of return reflects the interest rate for the United States Treasury Note with similar time-to-maturity to that of the warrants.

The Company issued a warrant to purchase 14,575,286 shares of common stock as consideration for the exclusive IP license and application development services to IDMC signed on November 11, 2013. The warrant price of \$0.20 per share expires November 10, 2018 and the per share price is subject to adjustment. This warrant was not issued with the intent of effectively hedging any future cash flow, fair value of any asset, liability or any net investment in a foreign operation. This warrant was issued with a down-round provision whereby the exercise price would be adjusted downward in the event that additional shares of the Company's common stock or securities exercisable, convertible or exchangeable for the Company's common stock were issued at a price less than the exercise price. Therefore, the fair value of these warrants were recorded as a liability in the consolidated balance sheet and are marked to market each reporting period until they are exercised or expire or otherwise extinguished.

During the year ended September 30, 2014, the Company recognized \$320,657 of other expense related to the IDMC warrant.

Derivative Instrument – Convertible Note Payable

| Financial Instruments | Fair Value Measurements Using Inputs | | | Carrying Amount at September 30, 2014 |
|--|--------------------------------------|------------|---------|---------------------------------------|
| | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | |
| Liabilities: | | | | |
| Derivative Instruments - Convertible Promissory Note | \$ - | \$ 103,500 | \$ - | \$ 103,500 |
| Total | \$ - | \$ 103,500 | \$ - | \$ 103,500 |

Liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis are summarized as follows:

| | September 30, 2014 |
|--|-----------------------|
| Market price and estimated fair value of common stock: | 0.07 |
| Exercise price | 0.07 |
| Expected term (years) | 0.75 |
| Divident yield | - |
| Expected volatility | 65.5% |
| Risk-free interest rate | 0.78% |

The risk-free rate of return reflects the interest rate for the United States Treasury Note with similar time-to-maturity to that of the Convertible Note Payable.

The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on August 25, 2014 for \$103,500. The Note is due May 27, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Note is convertible at 65% of the average of the lowest three day trading price in the 10 days prior to conversion; however, the Note is not convertible until the second quarter of fiscal year 2015. The Note provides short term working capital while funding closes and the Company expects to repay the Note at the closing of funding.

The Company has recorded a derivative liability for the conversion discount in the amount of \$103,500 at September 30, 2014.

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Derivative Instrument – Convertible Note Payable

| Financial Instruments | Fair Value Measurements Using Inputs | | | Carrying Amount at September 30, 2014 |
|--|--------------------------------------|-----------|---------|---|
| | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | |
| Liabilities: | | | | |
| Derivative Instruments - Convertible Promissory Note | \$ - | \$ 63,000 | \$ - | \$ 63,000 |
| Total | \$ - | \$ 63,000 | \$ - | \$ 63,000 |

Liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis are summarized as follows:

| | September 30, 2014 |
|--|-----------------------|
| Market price and estimated fair value of common stock: | 0.08 |
| Exercise price | 0.07 |
| Expected term (years) | 0.75 |
| Dividend yield | - |
| Expected volatility | 65.5% |
| Risk-free interest rate | 0.78% |

The risk-free rate of return reflects the interest rate for the United States Treasury Note with similar time-to-maturity to that of the Convertible Note Payable.

The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on September 23, 2014 for \$63,000. The Note is due June 26, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Note is convertible at 65% of the average of the lowest three day trading price in the 10 days prior to conversion; however, the Note is not convertible until the second quarter of fiscal year 2015. The Note provides short term working capital while funding closes and the Company expects to repay the Note at the closing of funding.

The Company has recorded a derivative liability for the conversion discount in the amount of \$63,000 at September 30, 2014.

The recorded value of other financial assets and liabilities, which consist primarily of cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, other current assets, and accounts payable and accrued expenses approximate the fair value of the respective assets and liabilities at September 30, 2014 and 2013 based upon the short-term nature of the assets and liabilities.

REVENUE RECOGNITION – Visualant and TransTech revenue are derived from other products and services. Revenue is considered realized when the services have been provided to the customer, the work has been accepted by the customer and collectability is reasonably assured. Furthermore, if an actual measurement of revenue cannot be determined, we defer all revenue recognition until such time that an actual measurement can be determined. If during the course of a contract management determines that losses are expected to be incurred, such costs are charged to operations in the period such losses are determined. Revenues are deferred when cash has been received from the customer but the revenue has not been earned. The Sumitomo License fee was recorded as revenue over the life the Joint Development Agreement and was fully recorded as of May 31, 2013.

STOCK BASED COMPENSATION - The Company has share-based compensation plans under which employees, consultants, suppliers and directors may be granted restricted stock, as well as options to purchase shares of Company common stock at the fair market value at the time of grant. Stock-based compensation cost is measured by the Company at the grant date, based on the fair value of the award, over the requisite service period. For options issued to employees, the Company recognizes stock compensation costs utilizing the fair value methodology over the related period of benefit. Grants of stock options and stock to non-employees and other parties are accounted for in accordance with the ASC 505.

INCOME TAXES - Income tax benefit is based on reported loss before income taxes. Deferred income taxes reflect the effect of temporary differences between asset and liability amounts that are recognized for financial reporting purposes and the amounts that are recognized for income tax purposes. These deferred taxes are measured by applying currently enacted tax laws where that company operates out of. The Company recognizes refundable and deferred assets to the extent that management has determined their realization. As of September 30, 2014 and September 30, 2013, the Company had refundable tax assets related to TransTech of \$29,590 and \$29,773, respectively.

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NET LOSS PER SHARE – Under the provisions of ASC 260, “Earnings Per Share,” basic loss per common share is computed by dividing net loss available to common shareholders by the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding for the periods presented. Diluted net loss per share reflects the potential dilution that could occur if securities or other contracts to issue common stock were exercised or converted into common stock or resulted in the issuance of common stock that would then share in the income of the Company, subject to anti-dilution limitations. The common stock equivalents have not been included as they are anti-dilutive. As of September 30, 2014, there were options outstanding for the purchase of 13,100,000 common shares, warrants for the purchase of 128,555,286 common shares and an unknown number of shares related to the conversion of \$166,500 in Convertible Promissory Notes due to KBM Worldwide, Inc. which could potentially dilute future earnings per share. As of September 30, 2013, there were options outstanding for the purchase of 12,735,000 common shares, warrants for the purchase of 113,507,050 common shares which could potentially dilute future earnings per share.

DIVIDEND POLICY - The Company has never paid any cash dividends and intends, for the foreseeable future, to retain any future earnings for the development of our business. Our future dividend policy will be determined by the board of directors on the basis of various factors, including our results of operations, financial condition, capital requirements and investment opportunities.

USE OF ESTIMATES - The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

RECENT ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

A variety of proposed or otherwise potential accounting standards are currently under study by standard setting organizations and various regulatory agencies. Due to the tentative and preliminary nature of those proposed standards, management has not determined whether implementation of such proposed standards would be material to our consolidated financial statements.

In August 2014, FASB issued ASU 2014-15—Presentation of Financial Statements—Going Concern (ASC Subtopic 205-40): “*Disclosure of Uncertainties about an Entity’s Ability to Continue as a Going Concern*”. The update requires management to assess a company’s ability to continue as a going concern and to provide related footnote disclosures in certain circumstances. All entities are required to apply the new requirements in annual periods ending after December 15, 2016, and interim periods thereafter. Early application is permitted. The Company is required to adopt these provisions for the annual period ending October 1, 2017. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of FASB ASU 2014-15 but does not expect the adoption thereof to have a material effect on its financial statements.

In May 2014, FASB issued ASU 2014-09—Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606): “*Section A—Summary and Amendments That Create Revenue from Contracts with Customers, (Topic 606) and Other Assets and Deferred Costs—Contracts with Customers (Subtopic 340-40), Section B—Conforming Amendments to Other Topics and Subtopics in the Codification and Status Tables, Section C—Background Information and Basis for Conclusions*”. The guidance in this update affects any entity that enters into contracts with customers to transfer goods or services and supersedes the revenue recognition requirements in Topic 605, Revenue Recognition. The update is effective for annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2016, including interim periods within that reporting period. Early application is not permitted. The Company is required to adopt these provisions as of October 1, 2017, the beginning of the annual period ending September 30, 2018 and at the beginning of all interim periods ending after October 1, 2017. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of FASB ASU 2014-09 but does not expect the adoption thereof to have a material effect on its financial statements.

In July 2013, FASB issued ASU 2013-11—Income Taxes (ASC Topic 740): “*Presentation of an Unrecognized Tax Benefit When a Net Operating Loss Carryforward, a Similar Tax Loss, or a Tax Credit Carryforward Exists* (a consensus of the FASB Emerging Issues Task Force)”. The amendments in this update provide explicit guidance on the financial statement presentation of an unrecognized tax benefit when a net operating loss carryforward, a similar tax loss, or a tax credit carryforward exists at the reporting date. The update is effective for fiscal years, and interim periods within those years, beginning after December 15, 2013. The Company adopted these provisions at the beginning of the interim period ending March 30, 2014. Adoption FASB ASU 2013-11 did not have a material effect on the Company’s financial statements.

4. DEVELOPMENT OF OUR CHROMAID™ TECHNOLOGY

The Company’s ChromaID™ Technology

The Company has invented a way to project light at a material (solid surface, liquid, or gas) and measure the amount of light that is reflected back. The pattern of this reflected light is compared to other patterns the company has captured and this allows us to identify, detect, or diagnose materials that cannot be identified by the human eye. The Company refers to this pattern of reflected light as a ChromaID™. The Company designs ChromaID scanning devices made with electronic, optical, and software parts to produce and capture the light.

The Company’s first product, the ChromaID Lab Kit, scans and identifies solid surfaces. The Company is marketing this product to customers who are considering licensing the technology. Target markets include, but are not limited to, commercial paint manufacturers, pharmaceutical equipment manufacturers, process control companies, currency paper and ink manufacturers, security card, reader, and scanner manufacturers, food processing, and electronic gaming.

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There is no current requirement for FDA or other government approval for the current applications of the Company's ChromaID technology. Over time, as the Company explores the application of its ChromaID technology for medical diagnostics and other applications, the Company expects that there will be requirements for FDA and other government approvals before applications using the technology in medical and other regulated fields can enter the marketplace.

The Company's research and development expenses were as follows:

Year ended September 30, 2014- \$670,742
Year ended September 30, 2013- \$1,169,281

The Company's research and development efforts are supported internally and through contractors at the RATLab LLC, the Invention Development Management Company LLC and other suppliers.

The Company's Patents

On August 9, 2011, the Company was issued US Patent No. 7,996,173 B2 entitled "Method, Apparatus and Article to Facilitate Distributed Evaluation of Objects Using Electromagnetic Energy," by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires August 24, 2029.

On December 13, 2011, the Company was issued US Patent No. 8,076,630 B2 entitled "System and Method of Evaluating an Object Using Electromagnetic Energy" by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires November 7, 2028.

On December 20, 2011, the Company was issued US Patent No. 8,081,304 B2 entitled "Method, Apparatus and Article to Facilitate Evaluation of Objects Using Electromagnetic Energy" by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires July 28, 2030.

On October 9, 2012, the Company was issued US Patent No. 8,285,510 B2 entitled "Method, Apparatus, and Article to Facilitate Distributed Evaluation of Objects Using Electromagnetic Energy" by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires July 31, 2027.

On February 5, 2013, the Company was issued US Patent No. 8,368,878 B2 entitled "Method, Apparatus and Article To Facilitate Evaluation of Objects Using Electromagnetic Energy by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires July 31, 2027.

On November 12, 2013, the Company was issued US Patent No. 8,583,394 B2 entitled "Method, Apparatus and Article To Facilitate Distributed Evaluation of Objects Using Electromagnetic Energy by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires July 31, 2027.

On November 21, 2014, the Company was issued US Patent No. 8,888,207 entitled "Systems, Methods, and Articles Related to Machine-Readable Indicia and Symbols" by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks. The patent expires February 7, 2033.

The Company pursue an aggressive patent strategy to expand our unique intellectual property in the United States and other countries.

Services and License Agreement Invention Development Management Company, L.L.C.

On November 11, 2013, the Company entered into a Services and License Agreement with Invention Development Management Company, L.L.C. ("IDMC"), a Delaware limited liability company. IDMC is affiliated with Intellectual Ventures, which collaborates with inventors, partners with pioneering companies and invests both expertise and capital in the process of invention. On November 19, 2014, the Company entered into an Amendment to Services and License Agreement with IDMC. This Amendment exclusively licenses ten filed patents to the Company.

The Agreement required IDMC to identify and engage investors to develop new applications of the Company's ChromaID™ development kits, present the developments to the Company for approval, and file at least ten patent applications to protect the developments. IDMC is responsible for the development and patent costs. The Company provided the development kits to IDMC at no cost and is providing ongoing technical support. In addition, to provide time for this accelerated expansion of its intellectual property the Company delayed the selling of the ChromaID development kits for 140 days except for certain select accounts. The Company has continued its business development efforts during this period and has worked with IDMC and their global business development services to secure potential customers and licensees for its technology. The Company shipped twenty ChromaID Lab Kits to inventors in the IDMC network during December 2013 and January 2014.

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The Company received a worldwide, nontransferable, exclusive license to the licensed IP developed under this IDMC Agreement dated November 11, 2013, during the term of the Agreement, and solely within the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use, to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer for sale products and services; (b) make improvements; and (c) grant sublicenses of any and all of the foregoing rights (including the right to grant further sublicenses).

The Company received a nonexclusive and nontransferable option to acquire a worldwide, nontransferable, nonexclusive license to the useful IP held by IDMC within the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer to sell products and services and (b) grant sublicenses to any and all of the foregoing rights. The option to acquire this license may be exercised for up to two years from the effective date of the Agreement.

IDMC is providing global business development services to the Company, including present Visualant IP and any licensed IP, if applicable, to potential customers, licensees, and distributors in markets or geographies not being pursued by Visualant. Also, IDMC has introduced Visualant to potential customers, licensees, or distributors for the purpose of identifying and closing a license, sale, or distribution deal or other monetization event.

Visualant granted to IDMC a nonexclusive, worldwide, fully paid up, nontransferable, sublicenseable, perpetual license to the Visualant IP, solely outside the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer for sale products and services and (b) grant sublicenses of any and all of the foregoing rights (including the right to grant further sublicenses).

The Company granted to IDMC a nonexclusive, worldwide, fully paid up, royalty-free, nontransferable, nonsublicenseable, perpetual license to access and use Visualant Technology solely for the purpose of marketing the aforementioned sublicenses to the Visualant IP to third parties outside the designated fields of use.

The Company issued a warrant to purchase 14,575,286 shares of common stock as consideration for the exclusive IP license and application development services to IDMC signed on November 11, 2013. The warrant price of \$0.20 per share expires November 10, 2018 and the per share price is subject to adjustment.

The Company has agreed to pay IDMC a percentage of license revenue for the global development business services and a percentage of revenue received from any IDMC introduced company. The Company has also agreed to pay IDMC a royalty when Visualant receives royalty product revenue from an IDMC introduced company.

IDMC has agreed to pay Visualant a license fee for the nonexclusive license of the Visualant IP.

The term of the exclusive IP license and the nonexclusive IP license commences on the effective date of November 11, 2013, and terminates when all claims of the patents expire or are held in valid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction from which no appeal can be taken.

The term of the Agreement commences on the effective date until either party terminates the Agreement at any time following the fifth anniversary of the effective date by providing at least ninety days' prior written notice to the other party.

The Company's Acquisition of Visualant Related Assets of the RATLab LLC

On June 7, 2011, the Company closed the acquisition of all Visualant related assets of the RATLab namely the rights to the medical field of use of the Chroma ID technology. The RATLab is a Seattle based research and development laboratory created by Dr. Tom Furness, founder and Director of the HITLab International, with labs at Seattle, University of Canterbury in New Zealand, and the University of Tasmania in Australia. With this acquisition, we consolidated all intellectual property relating to the ChromaID technology, except for environmental field of use which was held by Javelin LLC and which was acquired separately (see below). The Company acquired these assets of the RATLab for (i) 1,000,000 shares of our common stock at closing valued at \$0.20 per share, the price during the negotiation of this agreement; (ii) payment of \$250,000; and (iii) payment of the outstanding promissory note owing to Mr. Furness in the amount of \$65,000 with accrued interest of \$24,675.

On October 23, 2008, the Company and RATLab entered into definitive agreements which provide for a non-commercial non-exclusive license of the Company's technology to RATLab for the purpose of continuing research and development with a license back to the Company for enhancements that are developed. Further, an exclusive license was entered into between the Company and RATLab for selected fields of use.

The Company's Acquisition of Environmental Field of Use Rights from Javelin LLC

On July 31, 2012, the Company closed the acquisition of all rights to the ChromaID technology in the environmental field of use from Javelin LLC. The Company acquired these assets of Javelin for (i) 1,250,000 shares of our common stock valued at \$0.13 per share, the price during the negotiation of the acquisition agreement; and (ii) \$100,000 in cash, with \$20,000 payable at closing and \$80,000 to be paid in four equal installments over a period of eight months, all of which have now been paid. In addition the Company entered into a business development agreement with Javelin LLC which will pay them a fee equal to ten percent of the gross margin revenues received from sales of ChromaID through their business development efforts. To date, Javelin has not earned any fees from business development efforts; however the business development agreement remains in effect.

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5. AGREEMENTS WITH SUMITOMO PRECISION PRODUCTS CO., LTD.

On May 31, 2012, the Company entered into a Joint Research and Product Development Agreement with Sumitomo, a publicly-traded Japanese corporation, for the commercialization of our ChromaID™ technology. On March 29, 2013, the Company entered into an Amendment to Joint Research and Product Development Agreement or Amended Agreement with Sumitomo. The Amended Agreement extended the Joint Development Agreement from March 31, 2013 to December 31, 2013. The extension provided for continuing work between Sumitomo and Visualant focused upon advancing the ChromaID technology and market research aimed at identifying the most significant markets for the ChromaID technology. The current version of the technology, identified as Version 6D, was introduced to the marketplace as a part of our ChromaID Lab Kit during the three months ended December 31, 2013. The Amended Agreement expired December 31, 2013.

Sumitomo invested \$2,250,000 in exchange for 17,307,693 shares of restricted common shares priced at \$0.13 per share that was funded on June 21, 2012. Sumitomo also paid the Company an initial payment of \$1 million in accordance for an exclusive License Agreement for the Spectral Pattern Matching technology which covers Japan, China, Taiwan, Korea and the entirety of Southeast Asia (Burma, Indonesia, Thailand, Cambodia, Laos, Vietnam, Singapore and the Philippines). The Sumitomo License fee was recorded as revenue over the life the Joint Development Agreement and was fully recorded as of May 31, 2013.

Sumitomo is publicly traded in Japan and has operations in Japan, United States, China, United Kingdom, Canada and other parts of the world.

6. ACQUISITION OF TRANSTECH

The Company's wholly owned subsidiary, TransTech Systems, Inc., based in Aurora, Oregon, is a distributor of products, including systems solutions, components and consumables, for employee and government identification, document authentication, access control, and radio frequency identification. TransTech provides these products and services, along with marketing and business development assistance to a growing channel of value-added resellers and system integrators throughout North America.

TransTech provides its channel partners pre-and post-sales support in the industry. Technical Services covers training and installation support, in-warranty repair, out of warranty repair, and spares programs. Our customer service team provides full sales, configuration, and logistics services. An increasing number of manufacturers are turning to TransTech Systems for channel development and introduction of their products to our market space.

The Company closed the acquisition of TransTech on June 8, 2010. The Company acquired our 100% interest in TransTech by issuing a Promissory Note to James Gingo, the President and sole shareholder of TransTech, in the amount of \$2,300,000, plus interest at the rate of three and one-half percent per annum from the date of the Note. The Note was secured by a security interest in the stock and assets of TransTech, and was payable over a period of three years. The final balance of \$1,000,000 on the Note and accrued interest of \$30,397 were paid to Mr. Gingo on June 12, 2013, to complete payment of the purchase price for the TransTech stock.

On June 8, 2010 in connection with the acquisition of TransTech, the Company issued a total of 3,800,000 shares of restricted common stock of the Company to James Gingo, Jeff Kruse and Steve Waddle, executives of TransTech, and Paul Bonderson, a TransTech investor. The parties valued the shares in this transaction at \$76,000 or \$0.02 per share, the closing bid price during negotiations.

This acquisition is expected to accelerate market entry and penetration through well-operated and positioned dealers of security and authentication systems, thus creating a natural distribution channel for products featuring the company's proprietary ChromaID technology.

On September 30, 2014, TransTech sold its 51% controlling interest in IDVAL for \$25,000. Total fair value of assets deconsolidated was \$48,424 and the total fair value of liabilities deconsolidated was \$21,020. The gain/loss on the sale of TransTech's investment in IDVAL was \$25,065. TransTech Systems, Inc. has no financial investment in IDVAL as of September 30, 2014.

7. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE/CUSTOMER CONCENTRATION

Accounts receivable were \$814,460 and \$1,007,074, net of allowance, as of September 30, 2014 and 2013, respectively. The Company had one customer (10.7%) in excess of 10% of our consolidated revenues for the year ended September 30, 2014. The Company had two customers (13.1% and 10.3%) with accounts receivable in excess of 10% as of September 30, 2014. The Company does expect to have customers with consolidated revenues or accounts receivable balances of 10% of total accounts receivable in the foreseeable future.

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8. INVENTORIES

Inventories were \$412,831 and \$600,790 as of September 30, 2014 and 2013, respectively. Inventories consist primarily of printers and consumable supplies, including ribbons and cards, badge accessories, capture devices, and access control components held for resale. There is a \$10,000 reserve for impaired inventory as of September 30, 2014 and 2013.

9. FIXED ASSETS

Fixed assets, net of accumulated depreciation, was \$447,236 and \$427,215 as of September 30, 2014 and 2013, respectively. Accumulated depreciation was \$742,676 and \$663,213 as of September 30, 2014 and 2013, respectively. Total depreciation expense, was \$64,357 and \$66,557 for the years ended September 30, 2014 and 2013, respectively. All equipment is used for selling, general and administrative purposes and accordingly all depreciation is classified in selling, general and administrative expenses.

Property and equipment as of September 30, 2014 was comprised of the following:

| | Estimated Useful Lives | September 30, 2014 | | |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| | | Purchased | Capital Leases | Total |
| Machinery and equipment | 2-10 years | \$ 212,331 | \$ 87,038 | \$ 299,369 |
| Leasehold improvements | 5-20 years | 603,612 | - | 603,612 |
| Furniture and fixtures | 3-10 years | 77,039 | 101,260 | 178,299 |
| Software and websites | 3- 7 years | 63,783 | 44,849 | 108,632 |
| Less: accumulated depreciation | | (515,841) | (226,835) | (742,676) |
| | | <u>\$ 440,924</u> | <u>\$ 6,312</u> | <u>\$ 447,236</u> |

10. INTANGIBLE ASSETS

Intangible assets as of September 30, and 2014 and 2013 consisted of the following:

| | Estimated Useful Lives | September 30, 2014 | September 30, 2013 |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Customer contracts | 5 years | \$ 983,645 | \$ 983,645 |
| Technology | 5 years | 712,500 | 712,500 |
| Less: accumulated amortization | | (1,264,492) | (925,263) |
| Intangible assets, net | | <u>\$ 431,653</u> | <u>\$ 770,882</u> |

Total amortization expense was \$339,229 for the years ended September 30, 2014 and 2013, respectively.

The fair value of the TransTech intellectual property acquired was \$983,645, estimated by using a discounted cash flow approach based on future economic benefits associated with agreements with customers, or through expected continued business activities with its customers. In summary, the estimate was based on a projected income approach and related discounted cash flows over five years, with applicable risk factors assigned to assumptions in the forecasted results.

The fair value of the RATLab intellectual property associated with the assets acquired was \$450,000 estimated by using a discounted cash flow approach based on future economic benefits. In summary, the estimate was based on a projected income approach and related discounted cash flows over five years, with applicable risk factors assigned to assumptions in the forecasted results.

The fair value of the Javelin intellectual property acquired was \$262,500 estimated by using a discounted cash flow approach based on future economic benefits associated with the assets acquired. In summary, the estimate was based on a projected income approach and related discounted cash flows over five years, with applicable risk factors assigned to assumptions in the forecasted results.

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11. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Accounts payable were \$2,234,123 and \$2,301,149 as of September 30, 2014 and 2013, respectively. Such liabilities consisted of amounts due to vendors for inventory purchases and technology development, external audit, legal and other expenses incurred by the Company. TransTech had 2 vendors (22.6% and 12.0%) with accounts payable in excess of 10% of its accounts payable as of September 30, 2014. The Company does expect to have vendors with accounts payable balances of 10% of total accounts payable in the foreseeable future.

12. CONVERTIBLE NOTES PAYABLE

The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on August 25, 2014 for \$103,500. The Note is due May 27, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on September 23, 2014 for \$63,000. The Note is due June 26, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Notes are convertible at 65% of the average of the lowest three day trading price in the 10 days prior to conversion; however, the Notes are not convertible until the second quarter of fiscal year 2015. The Notes provided short term working capital while funding closes and the Company expects to repay the Notes at the closing of funding. The Company has accrued interest of \$936 as of September 30, 2014. The Company has recorded a derivative liability for the conversion discount in the amount of \$166,500 at September 30, 2014.

13. NOTES PAYABLE, CAPITALIZED LEASES AND LONG TERM DEBT

Notes payable, capitalized leases and long term debt as of September 30, 2014 and 2013 consisted of the following:

| | September 30, 2014 | September 30, 2013 |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Capital Source Business Finance Group | \$ 488,398 | \$ 749,323 |
| Note payable to Umpqua Bank | 200,000 | - |
| Secured note payable to J3E2A2Z LP - related party | 600,000 | - |
| TransTech capitalized leases, net of capitalized interest | 2,562 | 5,700 |
| Total debt | 1,290,960 | 755,023 |
| Less current portion of long term debt | (1,290,960) | (753,129) |
| Long term debt | \$ - | \$ 1,894 |

Capital Source Business Finance Group Secured Credit Facility

The Company finances its TransTech operations from operations and a Secured Credit Facility with Capital Source Business Finance Group. On December 9, 2008 TransTech entered into a \$1,000,000 secured credit facility with Capital Source to fund its operations. On December 12, 2014, the secured credit facility was renewed for an additional six months, with a floor for prime interest of 4.5% (currently 4.5%) plus 2.5%. The eligible borrowing is based on 80% of eligible trade accounts receivable, not to exceed \$1,000,000. The secured credit facility is collateralized by the assets of TransTech, with a guarantee by Visualant, including all assets of Visualant. Availability under this Secured Credit ranges from \$0 to \$175,000 (\$57,309 as of September 30, 2014) on a daily basis. The remaining balance on the accounts receivable line (\$488,398) as of September 30, 2014 must be repaid by the time the secured credit facility expires on June 12, 2015, or the Company renews by automatic extension for the next successive six month term.

Note Payable to Umpqua Bank/ Ronald P. Erickson or J3E2A2Z LP

On December 19, 2013, the Company entered into a \$200,000 Note Payable with Umpqua Bank. The Note Payable has a maturity date of December 31, 2014 and provided for interest of 2.79%, subject to adjustment annually. On December 19, 2014, this Note Payable maturity date was extended to December 31, 2015 and provides for interest at 3.25%.

The cash from the Note Payable was received on January 14, 2014. Related to this Note Payable and in the case of a default by the Company, the Company entered into a Demand Promissory Note for \$200,000 on January 10, 2014 with Mr. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest. On March 31, 2014, the Company entered into an Amendment to the Demand Promissory Note which extended the due date of this from March 31, 2014 to June 30, 2014. On July 17, 2014, the Company entered into Amendment 2 to the Demand Promissory Note which extended the due date from June 30, 2014 to September 30, 2014. On December 31, 2014, the Company entered into Amendment 3 to the Demand Promissory Note which extended the due date from September 30, 2014 to March 31, 2015. The Note provides for interest of 3% per annum and provides for a second lien on company assets if not repaid by March 31, 2015 or converted into convertible debentures or equity on terms acceptable to the Holder. The Company has accrued interest of \$4,340 as of September 30, 2014.

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Note Payables to Ronald P. Erickson or J3E2A2Z LP

On March 31, 2014, the Company entered into a Demand Promissory Note for \$300,000 with Mr. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest. On July 17, 2014, the Company entered into an Amendment to Demand Promissory Note which extended the due date of this from June 30, 2014 to September 30, 2014. On December 31, 2014, the Company entered into Amendment 2 to Demand Promissory Note which extended the due date of this from September 30, 2014 to March 31, 2015. The Note provides for interest of 3% per annum and provides for a second lien on company assets if not repaid by March 31, 2015 or converted into convertible debentures or equity on terms acceptable to the Holder. The Company has accrued interest of \$4,512 as of September 30, 2014.

On July 17, 2014, the Company entered into a Demand Promissory Note for \$300,000 with Mr. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest. On December 31, 2014, the Company entered into an Amendment to Demand Promissory Note for \$300,000 which extended the due date of this from September 30, 2014 to March 31, 2015. The Note provides for a second lien on company assets if not repaid by March 31, 2015 or converted into convertible debentures or equity on terms acceptable to the Holder. The Company has accrued interest of \$1,874 as of September 30, 2014.

Capitalized Leases

TransTech has capitalized leases for equipment. The leases have a remaining lease term of ten months. The aggregate future minimum lease payments under capital leases, to the extent the leases have early cancellation options and excluding escalation charges, are as follows:

| Years Ended September 30, | Total |
|--|----------|
| 2015 | \$ 2,562 |
| 2016 | - |
| 2017 | - |
| 2018 | - |
| 2019 | - |
| Total | 2,562 |
| Less current portion of capitalized leases | (2,562) |
| Long term capital leases | \$ - |

The imputed interest rate in the capitalized leases is approximately 10.5%.

Aggregate maturities for notes payable, capitalized leases and long term debt by year are as follows:

| Years Ended September 30, | Total |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| 2015 | \$ 1,290,960 |
| 2016 | - |
| 2017 | - |
| 2018 | - |
| 2019 | - |
| Total | \$ 1,290,960 |

14. EQUITY

Unless otherwise indicated, all of the following sales or issuances of Company securities were conducted under the exemption from registration as provided under Section 4(2) of the Securities Act of 1933 (and also qualified for exemption under 4(5), formerly 4(6) of the Securities Act of 1933, except as noted below). All of the shares issued were issued in transactions not involving a public offering, are considered to be restricted stock as defined in Rule 144 promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933 and stock certificates issued with respect thereto bear legends to that effect.

We have compensated consultants and service providers with restricted common stock during the development of our technology and when our capital resources were not adequate to provide payment in cash.

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All of the following transactions were to accredited investors (with the exception of a few issuances which are noted below). All issuances to accredited and non-accredited investors were structured to comply with the requirements of the safe harbor afforded by Rule 506 of Regulation D, including limiting the number of non-accredited investors to no more than 35.

The Company had the following equity transactions during the year ended September 30, 2014:

On May 15, 2014, the Company issued 1,600,000 shares of common stock to White Oak Capital LLC related to a conversion under a 7% Convertible Debenture. The shares were valued at \$160,000 or \$0.10 per share.

On June 12, 2014, the Company issued 300,000 shares of common stock to Dynasty Wealth, Inc. related to Financial Public Relations Group dated June 9, 2014. The shares were valued at \$60,000 or \$0.20 per share.

On August 27, 2014, we entered into an Addendum to a Financial Consultant Agreement or Agreement with D. Weckstein and Co, Inc. for financial consulting and investment banking services. Under the Addendum, Weckstein was awarded 1,000,000 shares of our common stock on August 27, 2014. The shares were valued at \$0.20 per share by the parties. We expensed \$70,000 during the year ended September 30, 2014 or \$0.07, the closing price on August 27, 2014.

The Company had the following equity transactions during the year ended September 30, 2013:

On October 22, 2012, the Company filed an Amended Registration Statement on Form S-1 for 7,600,000 shares of common stock. The Registration Statement primarily registered shares for Ascendant, Coventry Capital LLC and National Securities Corporation and affiliates and was declared effective by the SEC on October 25, 2012.

On October 8, 2012, Ascendant converted \$50,000 of principal and interest of \$6,959 into 1,139,178 shares of common stock at \$.050 per share under the Securities Purchase Agreement dated May 19, 2011.

On June 17, 2011, the Company entered into a Securities Purchase Agreement with Ascendant Capital Partners LLC or Ascendant, pursuant to which Ascendant agreed to purchase up to \$3,000,000 worth of shares of our common stock from time to time over a 24-month period, provided that certain conditions were met. The financing arrangement entered into by the Company and Ascendant is commonly referred to as an "equity line of credit" or an "equity drawdown facility."

As of October 17, 2012, the Company issued to Ascendant 6,358,933 shares for \$483,141 or \$0.076 per share under the Securities Purchase Agreement dated June 17, 2011. In addition, the Company issued to Ascendant during 2011 a total of 1,490,943 shares for \$193,370 or \$.131 per share under the Securities Purchase Agreement for commitment and legal fees.

On October 26, 2012, the Company issued 150,000 shares of restricted common stock to Manna Advisory Services, LLC for investor relation services. The shares were valued at \$0.13 per share. The Company expensed \$19,500 during the nine months ended June 30, 2013. The shares do not have registration rights.

On November 28, 2012, Ascendant converted \$50,000 of principal and interest of \$7,644 into 1,152,877 shares of common stock at \$.050 per share under the Securities Purchase Agreement dated May 19, 2011.

On January 24, 2013, Gemini converted \$300,000 of principal and \$50,630 of accrued interest into 7,012,603 shares of common stock at \$.050 per share under the Securities Purchase Agreement dated May 19, 2011.

On January 24, 2013, Ascendant converted \$50,000 of principal and \$8,438 of accrued interest into 1,168,767 shares of common stock at \$.050 per share under the Securities Purchase Agreement dated May 19, 2011.

On January 28, 2013, Gemini converted \$300,000 of principal and \$50,959 of accrued interest into 7,019,178 shares of common stock at \$.050 per share under the Securities Purchase Agreement dated May 19, 2011.

On February 11, 2013, the Company entered into a Consulting Services Agreement with Integrated Consulting Services for strategic advice on our product roadmap. We issued a warrant for the purchase of 250,000 shares of our common stock. The warrants are exercisable at \$.13 per share and expire February 10, 2016. The Company valued the warrant at \$0.10 per share and expensed \$25,000 during the year ended September 30, 2013. Pursuant to the Consulting Services Agreement, the Company issued an additional warrant for the purchase of 250,000 shares of our common stock on August 12, 2013. The warrants are exercisable at \$.13 per share and expire August 10, 2016. The Company valued the warrant at \$0.0444 per share and expensed \$11,100 during the year ended September 30, 2013. The warrants do not have piggyback registration rights.

On February 13, 2013, the Company issued 150,000 shares of restricted common stock to Manna Advisory Services, LLC, for investor relation services. The shares were valued at \$0.10 per share. The Company expensed \$15,000 during the year ended September 30, 2013. The shares do not have registration rights.

On February 13, 2013, the Company issued 150,000 shares of restricted common stock to David Markowski for services related to the acquisition of TransTech. The shares were valued at \$0.10 per share. The Company expensed \$15,000 during the year ended September 30, 2013. The shares do not have registration rights.

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On February 13, 2013, the Company issued 2,000,000 shares of restricted common stock to two employees (1,200,000 shares for Ronald Erickson our Chief Executive Officer and 200,000 for Mark Scott, our Chief Financial Officer) and two directors (400,000 shares for Marco Hegyi and 200,000 shares for Jon Pepper) for services during 2012. The shares were valued at \$0.10 per share. The Company expensed \$200,000 during the year ended September 30, 2013. The shares do not have registration rights.

On March 1, 2013, the Company issued 50,000 shares of restricted common stock to Manna Advisory Services, LLC, for investor relation services. The shares were valued at \$0.10 per share. The Company expensed \$5,000 during the year ended September 30, 2013. The shares do not have registration rights.

On April 26, 2013, Ascendant was issued a total of 4,565,068 shares of common stock as a result of Ascendant's cashless exercise of a warrant. The warrant had an adjustable exercise price based on the Company's stock price during the 3 trading days prior to the time of exercise as well as for any subsequent sales of stock or stock equivalents at an effective price less than the then exercise price of the warrant. On January 23, 2013, the Company agreed to repurchase the Ascendant Warrant for a purchase price of \$300,000, payment of which was due by March 31, 2013; however, the Company did not complete that purchase, thereby enabling Ascendant to exercise the Ascendant Warrant on April 26, 2013.

The Company entered into an Option Agreement with Ascendant dated April 26, 2013, pursuant to which the Company had the option to purchase from Ascendant 4,000,000 shares of our common stock (the "Option Shares") for an aggregate purchase price of \$300,000. On May 31, 2013, the Company exercised its option to purchase the 4,000,000 Option Shares from Ascendant and paid to Ascendant the \$300,000 purchase price. The option was required to be exercised and payment for the shares made on or before May 31, 2013. On May 31, 2013, the Company exercised our option to purchase 4,000,000 Option Shares from Ascendant and paid to Ascendant the \$300,000 purchase price. Ascendant delivered only 2,284,525 of the 4,000,000 Option Shares purchased by the Company and had failed to deliver the remaining 1,715,475 Option Shares. On June 17, 2013, the Company filed a complaint (the "Complaint") against Ascendant Capital Partners, LLC ("Ascendant") in the California Superior Court, County of Orange (Case No. 30-2013-00656770-CU-BC-CJC) for breach of contract, seeking damages, specific performance and injunctive relief against Ascendant. On September 24, 2013, the California Superior Court granted Visualant's motion, finding that Visualant was likely to prevail on the merits of its claim against Ascendant. The Court ordered Ascendant to deliver 1,715,475 Option Shares to the Company by 4:00PM, September 27, 2013. The delivery occurred on September 27, 2013. The Company expects to pursue its damage claim.

On April 30, 2013, the Company issued 120,000 shares of restricted common stock to David Markowski for services related to the acquisition of TransTech. The shares were valued at \$0.10 per share. The Company expensed \$12,000 during the year ended September 30, 2013. The shares do not have registration rights.

On June 10, 2013, the Sterling Group forfeited a warrant to purchase 300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.20 per share.

On June 10, 2013, the Company entered into a Purchase Agreement, Warrants, and Registration Rights Agreement with Special Situations Technology Funds and forty other accredited investors, pursuant to which we issued 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.10 per share for a total of \$5,230,000, which amount includes the conversion of \$500,000 in outstanding debt of the Company owed to one of its officers. As part of the transaction, which closed on June 14, 2013, we issued to the investors (i) five year Series A Warrants to purchase a total of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.15 per share; and (ii) five year Series B Warrants to purchase a total of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.20 per share. In addition, GVC Capital LLC, the placement agent in that transaction, was issued five-year warrants to purchase a total of 5,230,000 shares of common stock at \$0.10 per share. The Company has an obligation to issue up to 5,230,000 additional placement agent warrants exercisable at \$0.15 per share. The \$0.15 placement agent warrants shall issue only upon the exercise of the Series A Warrants by the Investors, and are issuable ratably based upon the number of Warrants exercised by the Investors. The Company filed a Registration Statement and Amended Registration Statements on Form S-1 for 162,130,000 shares of common stock and warrants related to these Agreements that was declared effective by the SEC on October 11, 2013.

On September 4, 2013, the Company issued 300,000 shares to the Liolios Group related to public relation services. The Company expensed \$60,000 during the year ended September 30, 2013. The shares have piggyback registration rights. In addition, the Company issued a warrant for 200,000 shares of common stock to Liolios related to public relation services. The warrants vested on September 4, 2013, are exercisable at \$.20 per share expire on September 3, 2016. The Company valued the warrant at \$0.0444 per share and expensed \$8,880 during the year ended September 30, 2013. The warrant has piggyback registration rights.

The issued a warrant to Genesis Select Corporation related to a Strategic Consulting Services Agreement dated September 15, 2013 for 200,000 shares of common stock. The warrants vested on September 15, 2013, are exercisable at \$.20 per share and expire on September 14, 2016. The Company valued the warrant at \$0.0444 per share and expensed \$8,880 during the year ended September 30, 2013. The warrant does not have piggyback registration rights.

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The Company issued a warrant to Jason Eichenholz on September 18, 2013 related to a Technical Advisor Agreement dated July 18, 2013 for 500,000 shares of common stock. The warrants vested on September 18, 2013, are exercisable at \$.20 per share and expire on September 17, 2016. The Company valued the warrant at \$0.0444 per share and expensed \$22,220 during the year ended September 30, 2013. The warrant does not have piggyback registration rights.

A summary of the warrants issued as of September 30, 2014 were as follows:

| | Shares | Weighted Average Exercise Price |
|------------------------------------|-------------|--|
| Outstanding at beginning of period | 113,507,050 | \$ 0.173 |
| Issued | 16,725,286 | 0.200 |
| Exercised | - | - |
| Forfeited | - | - |
| Expired | (1,677,050) | (0.309) |
| Outstanding at end of period | 128,555,286 | \$ 0.175 |
| Exercisable at end of period | 128,555,286 | |

A summary of the status of the warrants outstanding as of September 30, 2014 is presented below:

| September 30, 2014 | | | | |
|-----------------------|--|--|-----------------------|--|
| Number of Warrants | Weighted Average Remaining Life | Weighted Average Exercise Price | Shares Exercisable | Weighted Average Exercise Price |
| 6,330,000 | 3.14 | \$ 0.10-013 | 6,330,000 | \$ 0.10-013 |
| 52,300,000 | 3.63 | 0.150 | 52,300,000 | 0.150 |
| 69,925,286 | 3.71 | 0.200 | 69,925,286 | 0.200 |
| 128,555,286 | 3.67 | 0.175 | 128,555,286 | 0.175 |

The significant weighted average assumptions relating to the valuation of the Company's warrants for the year ended September 30, 2014 were as follows:

| | |
|-------------------------|------|
| Dividend yield | 0% |
| Expected life | 3 |
| Expected volatility | 90% |
| Risk free interest rate | 0.7% |

At September 30, 2014, vested warrants totaling 128,555,286 shares had an aggregate intrinsic value of \$0.

15. STOCK OPTIONS

Description of Stock Option Plan

On April 29, 2011, the 2011 Stock Incentive Plan was approved at the Annual Stockholder Meeting. The Company was authorized to issue options for, and has reserved for issuance, up to 7,000,000 shares of common stock under the 2011 Stock Incentive Plan. On March 21, 2013, an amendment to the Stock Option Plan was approved by the stockholders of the Company, increasing the number of shares reserved for issuance under the Plan to 14,000,000 shares.

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Determining Fair Value under ASC 505

The Company records compensation expense associated with stock options and other equity-based compensation using the Black-Scholes-Merton option valuation model for estimating fair value of stock options granted under our plan. The Company amortizes the fair value of stock options on a ratable basis over the requisite service periods, which are generally the vesting periods. The expected life of awards granted represents the period of time that they are expected to be outstanding. The Company estimates the volatility of our common stock based on the historical volatility of its own common stock over the most recent period corresponding with the estimated expected life of the award. The Company bases the risk-free interest rate used in the Black Scholes-Merton option valuation model on the implied yield currently available on U.S. Treasury zero-coupon issues with an equivalent remaining term equal to the expected life of the award. The Company has not paid any cash dividends on our common stock and does not anticipate paying any cash dividends in the foreseeable future. Consequently, the Company uses an expected dividend yield of zero in the Black-Scholes-Merton option valuation model and adjusts share-based compensation for changes to the estimate of expected equity award forfeitures based on actual forfeiture experience. The effect of adjusting the forfeiture rate is recognized in the period the forfeiture estimate is changed.

Stock Option Activity

The Company had the following stock option transactions during the year ended September 30, 2014:

During the nine months ended June 30, 2014, two employees of TransTech, forfeited stock option grants for 30,000 shares of common stock at \$0.22 per share.

On April 2, 2014, the Company issued stock option grants to two employees totaling 395,000 shares at \$0.10 per share. The grants vest quarterly over three years and expire on April 1, 2019.

The Company had the following stock option transactions during the year ended September 30, 2013:

Stock option grants totaling 5,100,000 shares of common stock valued at \$0.13 per share have been made to three directors and four employees (Ron Erickson- 1,000,000 shares vesting June 6, 2013, Yoshitami Arai- 500,000 shares that vested immediately, Masahiro Kawahata- 500,000 shares that vested immediately, Mark Scott- 1,000,000 shares that vested on June 6, 2013, Richard Mander- 1,000,000 shares that vest quarterly from June 26, 2012 and Todd M. Sames- 1,000,000 shares that vest quarterly over three years from September 5, 2012 and Derek Jensen- 100,000 shares that vest quarterly from October 22, 2012) for services provided during 2012. These options were authorized for issuance under the 2011 Stock Incentive Plan and were effective March 21, 2013, when the Company was authorized to issue options up to 14,000,000 shares under the 2011 Stock Incentive Plan at the Annual Stockholder Meeting.

On August 27, 2013, the Company issued a stock option grant for 500,000 shares of common stock to Richard Mander, an employee, valued at \$0.10 per share. The stock grant vested quarterly over three years.

On August 27, 2013, the Company issued stock option grants for 1,230,000 shares of common stock to twelve employees of TransTech valued at \$0.10 per share. The stock grant vested quarterly over three years.

On March 31, 2013 an employee of TransTech, forfeited a stock option grant for 15,000 shares of common stock at \$0.24 per share.

There are currently 13,100,000 options to purchase common stock at an average exercise price of \$0.125 per share outstanding as of September 30, 2014 under the 2011 Stock Incentive Plan. The Company recorded \$87,550 and \$250,013 of compensation expense, net of related tax effects, relative to stock options for the year ended September 30, 2014 and 2013 in accordance with ASC 505. Net loss per share (basic and diluted) associated with this expense was approximately (\$0.00). As of September 30, 2014, there is approximately \$306,254 of total unrecognized costs related to employee granted stock options that are not vested. These costs are expected to be recognized over a period of approximately 5.26 years.

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Stock option activity for the year ended September 30, 2014 and 2013 was as follows:

| | Options | Weighted Average Exercise Price | \$ |
|--------------------------------------|------------|------------------------------------|--------------|
| Outstanding as of September 30, 2012 | 5,920,000 | 0.131 | 776,800 |
| Granted | 6,830,000 | 0.122 | 836,000 |
| Exercised | - | - | - |
| Forfeitures | (15,000) | 0.240 | (3,600) |
| Outstanding as of September 30, 2013 | 12,735,000 | 0.126 | 1,609,200 |
| Granted | 395,000 | 0.100 | 39,500 |
| Exercised | - | - | - |
| Forfeitures | (30,000) | 0.217 | (6,500) |
| Outstanding as of September 30, 2014 | 13,100,000 | \$ 0.125 | \$ 1,642,200 |

The following table summarizes information about stock options outstanding and exercisable at September 30, 2014:

| Range of Exercise Prices | Number Outstanding | Weighted Average Remaining Life In Years | Weighted Average Exercise Price Exercisable | Number Exercisable | Weighted Average Exercise Price Exercisable |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|---|--|-----------------------|--|
| 0.090 | 500,000 | 5.75 years | \$ 0.090 | 500,000 | \$ 0.090 |
| 0.100 | 4,020,000 | 5.61 years | 0.100 | 2,555,834 | 0.100 |
| 0.120 | 200,000 | .13 years | 0.120 | 172,226 | 0.120 |
| 0.130 | 5,100,000 | 5.18 years | 0.130 | 4,508,333 | 0.130 |
| 0.150 | 3,100,000 | 5.65 years | 0.150 | 3,100,000 | 0.150 |
| 0.240 | 180,000 | .88 years | 0.240 | 180,000 | 0.240 |
| | 13,100,000 | 5.26 years | \$ 0.125 | 11,016,393 | \$ 0.133 |

There is no aggregate intrinsic value of the exercisable options as of September 30, 2014.

16. OTHER SIGNIFICANT TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES

Related Party Transactions with Ronald P. Erickson

See Notes 13 and 19 for Notes Payable to Ronald P. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest. In addition, the Company recorded advances from Mr. Erickson of \$236,617 as of September 30, 2014 as accrued liabilities – related parties.

Mr. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest have made advances and loans to the Company in the total principal amount of \$960,000 on or before the date hereof at an average annual interest rate of 4.2%. In addition, Mr. Erickson and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest also have unreimbursed 2013 expenses and unpaid salary and interest from 2013 on the outstanding principal amount of the Loans totaling approximately \$65,000 as of June 14, 2013. Mr. Erickson and related entities converted \$500,000 of the advances and loans as part of the PPM which closed June 14, 2013. The remaining amounts were paid to Mr. Erickson and related entities prior to June 30, 2013.

Related Party Transaction with Mark Scott

Mr. Mark Scott, our Chief Financial Officer, invested \$10,000 in the Private Placement which closed June 14, 2013.

17. COMMITMENTS, CONTINGENCIES AND LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

There are no pending legal proceedings against the Company that are expected to have a material adverse effect on its cash flows, financial condition or results of operations.

EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENTS

Mr. Erickson, Mr. Scott and other named executive officers of Visualant do not have employment agreements.

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LEASES

The Company is obligated under various non-cancelable operating leases for their various facilities and certain equipment.

Corporate Offices

The Company's executive office is located at 500 Union Street, Suite 420, Seattle, Washington, USA, 98101. On August 1, 2012, the Company entered into an Office Lease with Logan Building LLC for 2,244 square feet and which expired August 31, 2014. The monthly lease rate was \$1,944 for the year ending August 31, 2013 and \$2,028 for the year ending August 31, 2014. On June 14, 2013, the Company entered into Amendment One to the Office Lease, increasing our monthly payment to \$3,978 through August 31, 2013, \$4,057 from September 1, 2013 to May 31, 2014 and \$4,140 from June 1, 2014 through August 31, 2014. On June 18, 2014, the Company entered into the Second Amendment to the Office Lease, which maintained our net monthly payment at \$4,057. On December 18, 2014, the Company entered into the Third Amendment to the Office Lease reducing our square footage to 2,244 square feet and decreasing our net monthly payment to \$2,535 through the expiration date of February 28, 2015.

TransTech Facilities

TransTech is located at 12142 NE Sky Lane, Suite 130, Aurora, OR 97002. TransTech leases a total of approximately 9,750 square feet of office and warehouse space for its administrative offices, product inventory and shipping operations, at a monthly rental of \$4,292. The lease was extended from March 2011 for an additional five year term at a monthly rental of \$4,751. There are two additional five year renewals with a set accelerating increase of 10% per 5 year term.

The aggregate future minimum lease payments under operating leases as of September 30, 2014, to the extent the leases have early cancellation options and excluding escalation charges, are as follows:

| Years Ended September 30, | Total |
|---------------------------|------------------|
| 2015 | \$ 69,273 |
| 2016 | 23,755 |
| 2017 | - |
| 2018 | - |
| 2019 | - |
| Beyond | - |
| Total | <u>\$ 93,028</u> |

18. INCOME TAXES

The Company has incurred losses since inception, which have generated net operating loss carryforwards. The net operating loss carryforwards arise from United States sources.

Pretax losses arising from United States operations were approximately \$835,000 for the year ended September 30, 2014.

Pretax losses arising from United States operations were approximately \$5,084,000 for the year ended September 30, 2013.

The Company has net operating loss carryforwards of approximately \$18,090,000, which expire in 2020-2033. Because it is not more likely than not that sufficient tax earnings will be generated to utilize the net operating loss carryforwards, a corresponding valuation allowance of approximately \$18,090,000 was established as of September 30, 2014. Additionally, under the Tax Reform Act of 1986, the amounts of, and benefits from, net operating losses may be limited in certain circumstances, including a change in control.

Section 382 of the Internal Revenue Code generally imposes an annual limitation on the amount of net operating loss carryforwards that may be used to offset taxable income when a corporation has undergone significant changes in its stock ownership. There can be no assurance that the Company will be able to utilize any net operating loss carryforwards in the future.

For the year ended September 30, 2014, the Company's effective tax rate differs from the federal statutory rate principally due to net operating losses and warrants issued for services.

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The principal components of the Company's deferred tax assets at September 30, 2014 are as follows:

| | 2014 | 2013 |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|
| U.S. operations loss carry forward at statutory rate of 34% | \$ (6,150,117) | \$ (5,866,156) |
| Non-U.S. operations loss carry forward at statutory rate of 20.5% | 0 | 0 |
| Total | (6,150,117) | (5,866,156) |
| Less Valuation Allowance | 6,150,117 | 5,866,156 |
| Net Deferred Tax Assets | - | - |
| Change in Valuation allowance | <u>\$ 6,150,117</u> | <u>\$ 5,866,156</u> |

A reconciliation of the United States Federal Statutory rate to the Company's effective tax rate for the period ended September 30, 2014 and 2013 is as follows:

| | | |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| Federal Statutory Rate | -34.0% | -34.0% |
| Increase in Income Taxes Resulting from: | | |
| Change in Valuation allowance | <u>34.0%</u> | <u>34.0%</u> |
| Effective Tax Rate | <u>0.0%</u> | <u>0.0%</u> |

19. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Company evaluated subsequent events, for the purpose of adjustment or disclosure, up through the date the financial statements were issued.

Resignation of Dr. Richard Mander

On November 7, 2014, the Company accepted the resignation of Dr. Richard Mander as Chief Technology Officer. The Company expects to utilize Mr. Mander on a consulting basis. The Company is utilizing Dr. Tom Furness, the inventor of our ChromaID™ technology and our existing supplier base to develop the Company's products.

Issuance of Seventh Patent on its ChromaID™ technology for Invisible Bar Codes

On November 21, 2014, the Company announced that it received its seventh patent on its ChromaID™ technology.

The Company's latest patent provides for invisible bar codes or adds a new element to the encoding process by leveraging the Visualant ChromaID scanner's ability to recognize differences in molecular and atomic structures allowing new data to be added using conventional printing processes without changing the visual appearance of today's codes.

The patent issued by the United States Office of Patents and Trademarks is US Patent No. 8,888,207 and is entitled "Systems, Methods, and Articles Related to Machine-Readable Indicia and Symbols."

Amendment to Services and License Agreement with Invention Development Management Company, LLC ("IDMC")

On November 19, 2014, the Company entered into an Amendment to Services and License Agreement with Invention Development Management Company, LLC. This Amendment exclusively licenses ten filed patents to Visualant, Inc.

On November 11, 2013, the Company entered into a Services and License Agreement with IDMC"), a Delaware limited liability company. IDMC is affiliated with Intellectual Ventures, which collaborates with inventors, partners with pioneering companies and invests both expertise and capital in the process of invention.

The Agreement required IDMC to identify and engage investors to develop new applications of the Company's ChromaID™ development kits, present the developments to the Company for approval, and file patent applications to protect the developments. IDMC was responsible for the development and patent costs.

The Company received a worldwide, nontransferable, exclusive license to the licensed IP developed under this Agreement, during the term of the Agreement, and solely within the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use, to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer for sale products and services; (b) make improvements; and (c) grant sublicenses of any and all of the foregoing rights (including the right to grant further sublicenses).

The Company received a nonexclusive and nontransferable option to acquire a worldwide, nontransferable, nonexclusive license to the useful IP held by IDMC within the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer to sell products and services and (b) grant sublicenses to any and all of the foregoing rights. The option to acquire this license may be exercised for up to two years from the effective date of the Agreement.

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IDMC is providing global business development services to the Company, including present Visualant IP and any licensed IP, if applicable, to potential customers, licensees, and distributors in markets or geographies not being pursued by Visualant. Also, IDMC may introduce Visualant to a potential customer, licensee, or distributor for the purpose of identifying and closing a license, sale, or distribution deal or other monetization event.

Capital Source Business Finance Group Secured Credit Facility

The Company finances its TransTech operations from operations and a Secured Credit Facility with Capital Source Business Finance Group. On December 9, 2008 TransTech entered into a \$1,000,000 secured credit facility with Capital Source to fund its operations. On December 12, 2014, the secured credit facility was renewed for an additional six months, with a floor for prime interest of 4.5% (currently 4.5%) plus 2.5%. The eligible borrowing is based on 80% of eligible trade accounts receivable, not to exceed \$1,000,000. The secured credit facility is collateralized by the assets of TransTech, with a guarantee by Visualant, including all assets of Visualant. Availability under this Secured Credit ranges from \$0 to \$175,000 (\$57,309 as of September 30, 2014) on a daily basis. The remaining balance on the accounts receivable line (\$488,398) as of September 30, 2014 must be repaid by the time the secured credit facility expires on June 12, 2015, or the Company renews by automatic extension for the next successive six month term.

Series A Convertible Preferred Stock

During the three months ended December 31, 2014, the Company sold 3,000,000 Series A Preferred to one accredited investor of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock totaling \$300,000 that is convertible into 3,000,000 shares of common stock at \$0.10 over the next five years. The Preferred Series A has voting rights and may not be called. The Company also issued (i) a Series C five year Warrant for 3,000,000 shares of common stock at \$0.20 per share, which is callable at \$0.40 per share; and (ii)) a Series D five year Warrant for 3,000,000 shares of common stock at \$0.30 per share, which is callable at \$0.60 per share. The Preferred Series A and Series C and D Warrants have registration rights upon the closing of the offering. A notice filing under Regulation D will be filed with the SEC upon the closing of the offering.

Related Party Transactions with Ronald P. Erickson

On December 31, 2014, the Company entered into an Amendment to Demand Promissory Note for \$300,000 with Mr. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest. The December 31, 2014 Amendment to Demand Promissory Note for \$300,000 provides for interest of 3% per annum and is due March 31, 2015. The Amendment to Demand Promissory Note provides for a second lien on company assets if not repaid by March 31, 2015 or converted into convertible debentures or equity on terms acceptable to the Holder.

On December 31, 2014, the Company entered into an Amendment 2 to Demand Promissory Note dated March 31, 2014 and as Amended on July 17, 2014 with Mr. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest. The Amendment 2 to Demand Promissory Note for \$300,000 extended the due date of this from September 30, 2014 to March 31, 2015. The Note provides for interest of 3% per annum and provides for a second lien on company assets if not repaid by March 31, 2015 or converted into convertible debentures or equity on terms acceptable to the Holder.

On December 31, 2014, the Company entered into an Amendment 3 to the Demand Promissory Note dated January 10, 2014 and as Amended on March 31, 2014 and July 17, 2014 with Mr. Erickson, our Chief Executive Officer and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest. The Amendment 3 to the Demand Promissory Note for \$200,000 extended the due date from September 30, 2014 to March 31, 2015. The Note provides for interest of 3% per annum and provides for a second lien on company assets if not repaid by March 31, 2015 or converted into convertible debentures or equity on terms acceptable to the Holder.

On December 19, 2013, the Company entered into a \$200,000 Note Payable with Umpqua Bank. The Note Payable has a maturity date of December 31, 2014 and provided for interest of 2.79%, subject to adjustment annually. This Note Payable maturity date was extended to December 31, 2015 and provides for interest at 3.25%.

MANAGEMENT'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING

Our management is responsible for establishing and maintaining adequate internal control over financial reporting. Under the supervision and with the participation of our management, including our principal executive officer and principal financial officer, we assessed the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting as of the end of the period covered by this report based on the framework in "Internal Control—Integrated Framework" issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission. Based on that assessment, our principal executive officer and principal financial officer concluded that our internal control over financial reporting were not effective to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of our financial reporting and the preparation of our financial statements for external purposes in accordance with United States generally accepted accounting principles.

The effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting as of September 30, 2014 has not been audited by PMB Helin Donovan, LLP, an independent registered public accounting firm.

/s/ Ronald P. Erickson

Ronald P. Erickson
Chief Executive Officer

Seattle, WA
January 13, 2015

/s/ Mark E. Scott

Mark E. Scott
Chief Financial Officer

PART II—INFORMATION NOT REQUIRED IN PROSPECTUS

ITEM 13. OTHER EXPENSES OF ISSUANCE AND DISTRIBUTION.

The expenses payable by us in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities being registered other than underwriting discounts and commissions, if any are set forth below. Each item listed is estimated as follows:

| | |
|---|---|
| Securities and Exchange Commission registration fee | * |
| FINRA filing fee | * |
| NASDAQ Capital Market listing fee | * |
| Accountant's fees and expenses | * |
| Legal fees and expenses | * |
| Blue Sky fees and expenses | * |
| Transfer agent's fees and expenses | * |
| Miscellaneous | * |
| | |
| Total expenses | * |

* To be provided by amendment.

ITEM 14. INDEMNIFICATION OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS.

Nevada Revised Statutes, or NRS, Sections 78.7502 and 78.751 provide us with the power to indemnify any of our directors and officers. The director or officer must have conducted himself/herself in good faith and reasonably believe that his/her conduct was in, or not opposed to, our best interests. In a criminal action, the director, officer, employee or agent must not have had reasonable cause to believe his/her conduct was unlawful.

Under NRS Section 78.751, advances for expenses may be made by agreement if the director or officer affirms in writing that he/she believes he/she has met the standards and will personally repay the expenses if it is determined such officer or director did not meet the standards.

Our articles of incorporation include an indemnification provision under which we have the power to indemnify our directors, officers, employees and other agents of the company to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law.

We have a directors' and officers' liability insurance policy in place pursuant to which its directors and officers are insured against certain liabilities, including certain liabilities under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended and the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

The underwriting agreement we will enter into in connection with the offering of common stock and warrants being registered hereby provides that the underwriters will indemnify, under certain conditions, our directors and officers (as well as certain other persons) against certain liabilities arising in connection with such offering.

ITEM 15. RECENT SALES OF UNREGISTERED SECURITIES.

In the three years preceding the filing of this registration statement, Visualant has issued the following securities that were not registered under the Securities Act.

All of the offerings and sales described below were deemed to be exempt under Rule 506 of Regulation D and/or Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act. No advertising or general solicitation was employed in offering the securities, the offerings and sales were made to a limited number of persons, all of whom were accredited investors and transfer was restricted by the company in accordance with the requirements of Regulation D and the Securities Act. All issuances to accredited and non-accredited investors were structured to comply with the requirements of the safe harbor afforded by Rule 506 of Regulation D, including limiting the number of non-accredited investors to no more than 35 investors who have sufficient knowledge and experience in financial and business matters to make them capable of evaluating the merits and risks of an investment in our securities. We have not employed any underwriters in connection with any of the below transactions, and the individuals and entities to whom we issued securities are not affiliated with us. Except as noted below, none of the holders of the securities have any contractual rights to have such securities registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Year Ending September 30, 2012 (Since March 31, 2012)

On May 16, 2012, we issued 150,000 shares of common stock to Manna Advisory Services, LLC for investor relation services.

On May 31, 2012, we executed a Stock Purchase Agreement with Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd. whereby Sumitomo invested \$2,250,000 in exchange for 17,307,693 shares of restricted common stock.

On July 31, 2012, we closed the acquisition of the environmental field of use for our Spectral Pattern Matching technology from Javelin LLC. The Company acquired the Visualant-related assets of Javelin for (i) 1,250,000 shares of our common stock at closing valued at \$0.13 per share, the market price during the negotiation of this agreement; and (ii) \$100,000, with \$20,000 payable at closing and \$80,000 to be paid in four equal installments over a period of eight months (this amount was subsequently paid).

On September 6, 2012, we signed a Settlement and Release Agreement with Bradley Sparks, our former CEO and director and a cousin of Ronald P. Erickson. This agreement required (i) payment of \$50,750 (subsequently paid) and issuance of 513,696 shares of our common stock for full payment on a note and related accrued interest of \$66,780; (ii) payment of \$39,635 to Mr. Sparks for a note, accrued interest and other liabilities (subsequently paid); and (iii) issuance of 4,000,000 restricted shares of our common stock to Mr. Spark for unpaid compensation in the amount of \$721,333. The above is full settlement of all outstanding liabilities due to Mr. Sparks.

On September 18, 2012, we issued 500,000 shares of restricted common stock to NVPR, LLC for public relation services. The shares were valued at \$0.13 per share. The shares do not have registration rights.

On September 28, 2012 we issued 250,000 shares of restricted common stock to Clayton McMeekin for investor relation services. The shares were valued at \$0.13 per share. The shares do not have registration rights.

During the three months ended September 30, 2012, we issued a total of 1,671,370 shares of our common stock to Gemini Master Fund Ltd. upon conversion of \$75,000 of the convertible debentures and interest of \$8,568, at an average price per share of \$0.05, pursuant to a Securities Purchase Agreement dated May 19, 2011.

As of September 30, 2012, we issued a total of 3,373,425 shares of our common stock to Ascendant Capital Partners LLC upon conversion of \$150,000 of the convertible debentures and interest of \$18,671 pursuant to a Securities Purchase Agreement dated May 19, 2011.

As of September 30, 2012, we issued a total of 990,400 shares to Ascendant for cash of \$103,486 pursuant to a Securities Purchase Agreement dated June 17, 2011.

Year Ending September 30, 2013

On October 8, 2012, November 28, 2012 and January 24, 2013, we issued 3,460,822 shares of our common stock to Ascendant upon conversion of \$150,000 of the convertible debentures and interest of \$23,041 pursuant to a Securities Purchase Agreement dated May 19, 2011.

As of October 17, 2012, we issued to Ascendant 993,049 shares for cash of \$100,000 pursuant to a Securities Purchase Agreement dated June 17, 2011.

On October 26, 2012 we issued 150,000 shares of restricted common stock to Manna Advisory Services, LLC for investor relation services.

On January 24 and 28, 2013, Gemini converted \$600,000 of principal and \$101,589 of accrued interest into 14,031,781 shares of common stock pursuant to Securities Purchase Agreement dated May 19, 2011.

On February 11, 2013, we entered into a Consulting Services Agreement with Integrated Consulting Services for strategic advice on our product roadmap. We issued a warrant for the purchase of 250,000 shares of our common stock. The warrants are exercisable at \$0.13 per share and expire February 10, 2016. Pursuant to the Consulting Services Agreement, we issued an additional warrant for the purchase of 250,000 shares of our common stock on August 12, 2013. The warrants are exercisable at \$0.13 per share and expire August 10, 2016. The warrants do not have piggyback registration rights.

On February 13, 2013, we issued 150,000 shares of restricted common stock to Manna Advisory Services, LLC, for investor relation services.

On February 13, 2013, we issued 150,000 shares of restricted common stock to David Markowski for services related to the acquisition of TransTech.

On February 13, 2013, we issued 2,000,000 shares of restricted common stock to two employees and two directors for services during 2012.

On March 1, 2013, we issued 50,000 shares of restricted common stock to Manna Advisory Services, LLC, for investor relation services.

On April 26, 2013, we issued a total of 4,565,068 shares of common stock to Ascendant as a result of Ascendant's cashless exercise of a warrant. On January 23, 2013, we agreed to repurchase the Ascendant Warrant for a purchase price of \$300,000, payment of which was due by March 31, 2013; however, we did not complete that purchase, thereby enabling Ascendant to exercise the Ascendant Warrant on April 26, 2013.

We entered into an Option Agreement with Ascendant dated April 26, 2013, pursuant to which we had the option to purchase from Ascendant 4,000,000 shares of our common stock for an aggregate purchase price of \$300,000. On May 31, 2013, the Company exercised its option to purchase the 4,000,000 options from Ascendant and paid to Ascendant the \$300,000 purchase price. Ascendant delivered only 2,284,525 of the 4,000,000 options purchased by the Company and had failed to deliver the remaining 1,715,475 options. The remaining 1,715,475 options Shares were delivered to us on September 27, 2013.

On April 30, 2013, we issued 120,000 shares of restricted common stock to David Markowski for services related to the acquisition of TransTech.

On June 10, 2013, we entered into a Purchase Agreement, Warrants and Registration Rights Agreement with Special Situations and forty other accredited investors pursuant to which we issued 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.10 per share for a total of \$5,230,000, which amount includes the conversion of \$500,000 in outstanding debt of the Company owed to one of its officers. As part of the transaction which closed June 14, 2013, we issued to the investors (i) five year Series A Warrants to purchase a total of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.15 per share; and (ii) five year Series B Warrants to purchase a total of 52,300,000 shares of common stock at \$0.20 per share.

We also issued 5,230,000 placement agent warrants exercisable at \$0.10 per share to GVC Capital, with an obligation to issue up to 5,230,000 additional placement agent warrants exercisable at \$0.15 per share. The placement agent warrants shall issue only upon the exercise of the Series A Warrants by the investors, and are issuable ratably based upon the number of Warrants exercised by the investors. The placement agent warrants have a term of five years from the date of closing of the transaction.

On September 4, 2013, we issued 300,000 shares to the Liolios Group related to public relation services. The shares have "piggyback" registration rights. In addition, we issued a warrant for 200,000 shares of common stock to Liolios related to public relation services. The warrants vested on September 4, 2013, are exercisable at \$.20 per share expire on September 3, 2016. The warrant has "piggyback" registration rights.

We issued a warrant to Genesis Select Corporation related to a Strategic Consulting Services Agreement dated September 15, 2013 for 200,000 shares of common stock. The warrants vested on September 15, 2013, are exercisable at \$.20 per share and expire on September 14, 2016. The warrant does not have piggyback registration rights.

We issued a warrant to Jason Eichenholz on September 18, 2013 related to a Technical Advisor Agreement dated July 18, 2013 for 500,000 shares of common stock. The warrants vested on September 18, 2013, are exercisable at \$.20 per share and expire on September 17, 2016. The warrant does not have piggyback registration rights.

Year Ending September 30, 2014

On April 2, 2014, the Company issued a warrant to purchase 1,000,000 shares of common stock to Thomas Furness, a supplier, at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share. The Warrant expires on April 1, 2019.

On April 2, 2014, we issued a warrant to purchase 200,000 shares of common stock to Delacore LLC, a supplier, at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share. The Warrant expires on April 1, 2017.

On May 15, 2014, we issued 1,600,000 shares of common stock to White Oak Capital LLC related to a conversion under a 7% Convertible Debenture. The shares were valued at \$160,000, or \$0.10 per share.

On June 11, 2014, we issued a warrant to purchase 500,000 shares of common stock to Designsense Ltd, a supplier, at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share. The Warrant expires on June 10, 2017.

On June 11, 2014, we issued a warrant to purchase 250,000 shares of common stock to Alan Tompkins, a supplier, at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share. The Warrant expires on June 10, 2017.

On June 12, 2014, we issued 300,000 shares of common stock to Dynasty Wealth, Inc. related to Financial Public Relations Group dated June 9, 2014. The shares have “piggyback” registration rights. In addition, we issued a warrant for 200,000 shares of common stock to Dynasty. The warrants vested on June 12, 2014, are exercisable at \$.20 per share expire on September 3, 2016.

On August 27, 2014, we entered into an Addendum to a Financial Consultant Agreement or Agreement with D. Weckstein and Co, Inc. for financial consulting and investment banking services. Under the Addendum, Weckstein was awarded 1,000,000 shares of our common stock on August 27, 2014. The shares were valued at \$0.20 per share by the parties.

Period Subsequent to September 30, 2014

On December 14, 2014, we entered into an Advisory Agreement with Lester Garfinkel for financial consulting services. Under the Advisory Agreement, Mr. Garfinkel was awarded 25,000 shares of our common stock.

Subsequent to September 30, 2014, we sold 3,500,000 Series A Preferred Stock to two investors totaling \$350,000 that is convertible into 3,500,000 shares of common stock at \$0.10 over the next five years. The Series A Preferred Stock has voting rights and may not be redeemed without the consent of the holder. The Company also issued (i) a Series C five-year Warrant for 3,500,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share, which is callable at \$0.40 per share; and (ii)) a Series D five-year Warrant for 3,500,000 shares of common stock at an exercise price of \$0.30 per share, which is callable at \$0.60 per share. The Series A Preferred Stock and Series C and D Warrants have registration rights upon the closing of this offering.

On January 23, 2015, we issued 1,350,000 shares of restricted common stock to seven employees and directors for services during 2014. The shares were issued in accordance with the 2011 Stock Incentive Plan and were valued at \$0.10 per share, the market price of our common stock.

On February 23, 2015, we issued 254,990 shares of common stock to NVPR LLC related to a conversion under a 7% Convertible Debenture.

ITEM 16. EXHIBITS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT SCHEDULES.

The exhibits to the Registration Statement are listed in the Exhibit Index attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

ITEM 17. UNDERTAKINGS.

The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes:

- (1) To file, during any period in which offers or sales are being made, a post-effective amendment to this Registration Statement:
 - (i) To include any prospectus required by Section 10(a)(3) of the Securities Act of 1933;
 - (ii) To reflect in the prospectus any facts or events arising after the effective date of the registration statement (or the most recent post-effective amendment thereof) which, individually or in the aggregate, represent a fundamental change in the information set forth in the registration statement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any increase or decrease in volume of securities offered (if the total dollar value of securities offered would not exceed that which was registered) and any deviation from the low or high end of the estimated maximum offering range may be reflected in the form of prospectus filed with the Commission pursuant to Rule 424(b) if, in the aggregate, the changes in volume and price represent no more than 20% change in the maximum aggregate offering price set forth in the "Calculation of Registration Fee" table in the effective registration statement;
 - (iii) To include any material information with respect to the plan of distribution not previously disclosed in the registration statement or any material change to such information in the registration statement.
- (2) That, for the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each such post-effective amendment shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.
- (3) To remove from registration by means of a post-effective amendment any of the securities being registered which remain unsold at the termination of the offering.
- (4) That, for the purpose of determining liability of the registrant under the Securities Act of 1933 to any purchaser in the initial distribution of the securities: The undersigned registrant undertakes that in a primary offering of securities of the undersigned registrant pursuant to this registration statement, regardless of the underwriting method used to sell the securities to the purchaser, if the securities are offered or sold to such purchaser by means of any of the following communications, the undersigned registrant will be a seller to the purchaser and will be considered to offer or sell such securities to such purchaser:
 - (i) Any preliminary prospectus or prospectus of the undersigned registrant relating to the offering required to be filed pursuant to Rule 424;
 - (ii) Any free writing prospectus relating to the offering prepared by or on behalf of the undersigned registrant or used or referred to by the undersigned registrant;
 - (iii) The portion of any other free writing prospectus relating to the offering containing material information about the undersigned registrant or its securities provided by or on behalf of the undersigned registrant; and
 - (iv) Any other communication that is an offer in the offering made by the undersigned registrant to the purchaser.

Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act of 1933 may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the Registrant pursuant to the foregoing provisions, or otherwise, the Registrant has been advised that, in the opinion of the Securities and Exchange Commission such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act of 1933 and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than the payment by the Registrant of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the Registrant in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being registered, the Registrant will, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act of 1933 and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

(5) For purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, the information omitted from the form of prospectus filed as part of this registration statement in reliance upon Rule 430A and contained in a form of prospectus filed by the registrant pursuant to Rule 424(b) (1) or (4) or 497(h) under the Securities Act shall be deemed to be part of this registration statement as of the time it was declared effective.

(6) For the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each post-effective amendment that contains a form of prospectus shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Seattle, State of Washington, on April 24, 2015.

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED

By: /s/ Ronald P. Erickson
 Ronald P. Erickson
 Chairman of the Board, Chief Executive Officer and President

Each person whose signature appears below hereby constitutes and appoints Ronald P. Erickson or Mark Scott, his true and lawful attorneys-in-fact and agents, each with full power of substitution and resubstitution, for him and in his name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign any or all amendments (including, without limitation, post-effective amendments) to this registration statement and any subsequent registration statement filed by the registrant pursuant to Rule 462 (b) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, which relates to this registration statement, and to file the same, with all exhibits thereto, and all documents in connection herewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission, granting unto said attorneys-in-fact and agents, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as he might or could do in person, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents, or his or their substitutes, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, this registration statement and power of attorney has been signed on this 24th day of April, 2015 by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

| SIGNATURES | TITLE | DATE |
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| <u>/s/ Ronald P. Erickson</u> Ronald P. Erickson | Chairman of the Board, Chief Executive Officer, President and Director (Principal Executive Officer) | April 24, 2015. |
| <u>/s/ Mark E. Scott</u> Mark Scott | Chief Financial Officer and Secretary (Principal Financial/Accounting Officer) | April 24, 2015. |
| <u>/s/ Jon Pepper</u> Jon Pepper | Director | April 24, 2015. |
| <u>/s/ Ichiro Takesako</u> Ichiro Takesako | Director | April 24, 2015. |

Exhibit Index

| Exhibit No. | Description |
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| 1.1 | Form of Underwriting Agreement* |
| 3.1 | Amended and Restated Articles of Incorporation dated December 28, 2012 (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K/A, filed September 10, 2013) |
| 3.2 | Certificate and Amendment to Articles of Incorporation dated August 12, 2013 (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed August 14, 2013) |
| 3.3 | Certificate of Designation, Preferences and Rights for the Company's Series A Convertible Preferred Stock |
| 3.4 | Amended and Restated Bylaws (incorporated by reference to the Company's Form 8-K, filed August 17, 2012) |
| 4.1 | 2011 Stock Incentive Plan (incorporated by reference to the Company's Definitive Proxy Statement on Schedule 14A, filed January 31, 2011) |
| 5.1 | Opinion of Fifth Avenue Law Group, PLLC.* |
| 10.1 | Financial Consulting Agreement effective October 5, 2011 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and D. Weckstein & Co. Inc. (incorporated by reference to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-1/A, filed August 16, 2013) |
| 10.2 | License Agreement dated May 31, 2012 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd. (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed June 4, 2012) |
| 10.3 | Joint Research and Product Development Agreement dated May 31, 2012 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and Sumitomo Precision Products Co. (incorporated by reference to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-1/A, filed October 7, 2013) |
| 10.4 | Lease dated July 11, 2012 by and between Visualant, Inc. and Harbor Properties Inc. (incorporated by reference to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-1/A, filed September 16, 2013) |
| <u>10.5</u> | <u>Job Offer Letter dated August 9, 2012 by and between Visualant, Inc. and Todd Sames (filed herewith)</u> |
| 10.6 | Settlement and Release Agreement dated September 6, 2012 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and Bradley E. Sparks (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed September 11, 2012) |
| 10.7 | Amendment to Joint Research and Product Development Agreement dated March 29, 2013 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and Sumitomo Precision Products Co. (incorporated by reference to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S1/A, filed September 16, 2013) |
| 10.8 | Stock Purchase Agreement dated May 31, 2012 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd. (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed June 4, 2012) |
| 10.9 | Form of Purchase Agreement by and between Visualant, Incorporated and investors (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed June 18, 2013) |
| 10.10 | Form of Series A and Series B Warrant by and between Visualant, Incorporated and investors (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed June 18, 2013) |
| 10.11 | Form of Registration Rights Agreement by and between Visualant, Incorporated and investors (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed June 18, 2013) |
| 10.12 | Security Agreement dated June 12, 2013 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and BFI Business Finance (incorporated by reference to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, filed August 15, 2013) |
| 10.13 | General Continuing Guaranty dated June 12, 2013 by and between TransTech Systems Inc., Visualant, Incorporated and BFI Business Finance (incorporated by reference to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-1/A, filed October 7, 2013) |

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| 10.14 | Third Modification to Loan and Security Agreement dated June 12, 2013 by and between TransTech Systems Inc. and BFI Business Finance (incorporated by reference to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-1/A, filed October 7, 2013) |
| 10.15 | General Continuing Guaranty dated June 12, 2013 by and between TransTech Systems Inc., Visualant, Incorporated and BFI Business Finance (incorporated by reference to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-1/A, filed October 7, 2013) |
| 10.16 | Amendment No. 1 to Lease dated June 14, 2013 by and between Visualant, Inc. and Logan Building (incorporated by reference to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-1/A, filed August 16, 2013) |
| 10.17 | Form of Placement Agent Warrant by and between Visualant, Incorporated and placement agents (incorporated by reference to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-1/A, filed October 7, 2013) |
| 10.18 | Warrant to Purchase Common Stock dated November 11, 2013 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and Invention Development Management Company, L.L.C. (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed November 21, 2013) |
| 10.19 | Services and License Agreement dated November 11, 2013 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and Invention Development Management Company, L.L.C (incorporated by reference to the Company's Registration Statement on Form S-1/A, filed January 24, 2014) |
| 10.20 | Demand Promissory Note dated January 10, 2014 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and J3E2A2Z LP (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed January 15, 2014) |
| 10.21 | Secured Promissory Note dated March 19, 2014 by and between TransTech System, Inc. and BFI Finance (incorporated by reference to the Company's Quarterly Report Form 10-Q, filed May 14, 2014) |
| 10.22 | Letter Agreement dated March 19, 2014 by and between TransTech System, Inc. and BFI Finance (incorporated by reference to the Company's Quarterly Report Form 10-Q, filed May 14, 2014) |
| 10.23 | Demand Promissory Note dated March 31, 2014 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and J3E2A2Z LP (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed April 3, 2014) |
| 10.24 | Amendment to Demand Promissory Note dated March 31, 2014 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and J3E2A2Z LP (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed April 3, 2014) |
| 10.24 | Financial Public Relations Agreement dated June 9, 2014 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and Dynasty Wealth, Inc. (incorporated by reference to the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, filed August 14, 2014) |
| 10.26 | Second Amendment to Office Lease dated June 18, 2014 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and Logan Building LLC (incorporated by reference to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K, filed January 13, 2015) |
| 10.27 | Demand Promissory Note dated July 17, 2014 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and J3E2A2Z LP (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed July 18, 2014, and incorporated by reference. |
| 10.28 | Amendment to Demand Promissory Note dated July 17, 2014 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and J3E2A2Z LP (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed July 18, 2014) |
| 10.29 | Amendment 2 to Demand Promissory Note dated July 17, 2014 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and J3E2A2Z LP(incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed July 18, 2014) |
| 10.30 | Addendum to Letter dated August 27, 2014 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and D. Weckstein Co., Inc. (incorporated by reference to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K, filed January 13, 2015) |

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| 10.31 | Amendment to Services and License Agreement dated November 18, 2014 by and between Visualant, Inc. and Invention Development Management Company, LLC (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed November 25, 2014) |
| 10.32 | Third Amendment to Office Lease dated December 18, 2014 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and Logan Building LLC (incorporated by reference to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K, filed January 13, 2015) |
| 10.33 | Amendment to Demand Promissory Note dated December 31, 2014 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and J3E2A2Z LP (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed January 2, 2015) |
| 10.34 | Amendment 2 to Demand Promissory Note dated December 31, 2014 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and J3E2A2Z LP (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed January 2, 2015) |
| 10.35 | Amendment 3 to Demand Promissory Note dated December 31, 2014 by and between Visualant, Incorporated and J3E2A2Z LP (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed January 2, 2015) |
| 10.36 | Form of Purchase Agreement related to Series A Preferred Stock offering by and between Visualant, Incorporated and investors (filed herewith) |
| 10.37 | Form of Series C Warrant between Visualant, Incorporated and investors (filed herewith) |
| 10.38 | Form of Series D Warrant between Visualant, Incorporated and investors (filed herewith) |
| 10.39 | Form of Registration Rights Agreement related to preferred stock by and between Visualant, Incorporated and investors (filed herewith). |
| 10.40 | Amendment 2 to Demand Promissory Note dated March 31, 2015 by and between Visualant, Inc. and J3E2A2Z LP (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed April 3, 2015) |
| 10.41 | Amendment 3 to Demand Promissory Note dated March 31, 2015 by and between Visualant, Inc. and J3E2A2Z LP (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed April 3, 2015) |
| 10.42 | Amendment 4 to Demand Promissory Note dated March 31, 2015 by and between Visualant, Inc. and J3E2A2Z LP (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed April 3, 2015) |
| 14.1 | Code of Conduct and Ethics dated November 30, 2012 (incorporated by reference to the Company's Current Report on Form 8-K, filed January 3, 2013) |
| 21.1 | Subsidiaries of the Registrant (incorporated by reference to the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K, filed January 13, 2015) |
| 23.1 | Consent of PMB Helin Donovan LLP, independent registered public accounting firm (filed herewith) |
| 23.2 | Consent of Fifth Avenue Law Group, PLLC (included in Exhibit 5.1)* |
| 24.1 | Power of Attorney (included on the signature page of this registration statement). |
| 99.1(a) | Consent of Donald Schlosser, Director Nominee (filed herewith) |
| 99.1(b) | Consent of Timothy Londergan, PhD, Director Nominee (filed herewith) |

* To be filed by amendment.



August 9, 2012

Via Electronic Mail (todd.m.soames@gmail.com) and Hand Delivery

Todd Sames

Dear Todd:

It is my pleasure to offer you a position with Visualant, Inc. as Vice President, Business Development. Your offer of employment consists of the following:

- Your employment commences on a date to be mutually agreed upon.
- You are being hired as the Vice President, Business Development, a full time position with the Company
- You will report to the Chief Executive Officer and collaborate with Richard Mander, our Vice President of Product Management and Technology.
- Your annual salary will be \$120,000.00, paid over twenty-four [24] pay periods.
- You will receive options to purchase 1,000,000 shares of the Company's common stock pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Employee Stock Option Plan. The options shall be priced at \$0.13 (Thirteen Cents) per share.
- We will negotiate a mutually agreed upon incentive bonus plan which will compensate you for license agreements and business development contracts you secure which provide revenue to Visualant.
- You will be eligible for coverage under the Visualant health and dental insurance programs at the parent or subsidiary level.
- You will receive 120 hours [15 days] per year of Paid Time Off [PTO], which will accrue at 5 hours per pay period. In the event your employment terminates before you have accrued all the PTO you have actually used, you agree that the Company may withhold and deduct from your final paycheck the pay associated with the PTO days used, but not accrued. Specific details regarding your benefits will be provided upon completion of your orientation period.
- As we grow as a company, many of the attributes of normal company benefits, including 401K will be established.

This offer letter is not a contract of employment for any specific or minimum term. The employment Visualant, Inc. offers you is terminable at will. This means that our employment relationship is voluntary and based on mutual consent. You may resign your employment, and Visualant, Inc. likewise may terminate your employment, at any time, for any reason, with or without cause with thirty days' notice.

500 Union Street | Suite 406 | Seattle, WA 98101
Tel: 206.903.1351 | Fax: 206.903.1352

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Your signature below signifies your acceptance of this offer of employment.

We look forward to you becoming a part of our Visualant team, and are excited about the contributions you will make to the success of Visualant, Inc. You may contact me with any questions you may have concerning this letter.

Sincerely,

/s/ Ron Erickson

Ron Erickson
Chief Executive Officer

Accepted this 9th day of August, 2012

/s/ Todd Sames

Todd Sames

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FORM OF PURCHASE AGREEMENT

THIS PURCHASE AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is made as of the ____th day of _____, 2015 by and among Visualant, Incorporated, a Nevada corporation (the "Company"), and the Investors set forth on the signature pages affixed hereto (each an "Investor" and collectively the "Investors").

Recitals

A. The Company and the Investors are executing and delivering this Agreement in reliance upon the exemption from securities registration afforded by the provisions of Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Regulation D ("Regulation D"), as promulgated by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") thereunder; and

B. The Investors wish to purchase from the Company, and the Company wishes to sell and issue to the Investors, upon the terms and conditions stated in this Agreement, (i) an aggregate of up to 58,000,000 shares (the "Shares") of the Company's Series A Preferred Stock, par value \$0.001 par value (the "Preferred Stock"), such Preferred Stock to have the relative rights, preferences, limitations and designations set forth in the Certificate of Designation set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto (the "Certificate of Designation") and to be convertible into shares of the Company's Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share (together with any securities into which such shares may be reclassified, whether by merger, charter amendment or otherwise, the "Common Stock"), at a conversion price of \$0.10 per Share (subject to adjustment), (ii) warrants to purchase an aggregate of 58,000,000 shares of Common Stock (subject to adjustment) (the "Series C Warrant Shares") at an exercise price of \$0.20 per share (subject to adjustment) in the form attached hereto as Exhibit B (the "Series C Warrants"), and (iii) warrants to purchase an aggregate of 58,000,000 shares of Common Stock (subject to adjustment) (the "Series D Warrant Shares" and, together with the Series C Warrant Shares, the "Warrant Shares"), at an exercise price of \$0.30 per share (subject to adjustment) in the form attached hereto as Exhibit C (the "Series D Warrants and, together with the Series C Warrants, the "Warrants"); and

C. Contemporaneous with the sale of the Shares and Warrants, the parties hereto will execute and deliver a Registration Rights Agreement, in the form attached hereto as Exhibit D (the "Registration Rights Agreement"), pursuant to which the Company will agree to provide certain registration rights under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, and applicable state securities laws.

In consideration of the mutual promises made herein and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

1. Definitions. In addition to those terms defined above and elsewhere in this Agreement, for the purposes of this Agreement, the following terms shall have the meanings set forth below:

“Affiliate” means, with respect to any Person, any other Person which directly or indirectly through one or more intermediaries Controls, is controlled by, or is under common Control with, such Person.

“Business Day” means a day, other than a Saturday or Sunday, on which banks in New York City are open for the general transaction of business.

“Common Stock Equivalents” means any securities of the Company or the Subsidiaries which would entitle the holder thereof to acquire at any time Common Stock, including without limitation, any debt, preferred stock, rights, options, warrants or other instrument that is at any time convertible into or exchangeable for, or otherwise entitles the holder thereof to receive, Common Stock.

“Company’s Knowledge” means the actual knowledge of the executive officers (as defined in Rule 405 under the 1933 Act) of the Company, after due inquiry.

“Confidential Information” means trade secrets, confidential information and know-how (including but not limited to ideas, formulae, compositions, processes, procedures and techniques, research and development information, computer program code, performance specifications, support documentation, drawings, specifications, designs, business and marketing plans, and customer and supplier lists and related information).

“Control” (including the terms “controlling”, “controlled by” or “under common control with”) means the possession, direct or indirect, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of a Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities, by contract or otherwise.

“Conversion Shares” means the shares of Common Stock issuable upon conversion of the Shares.

“Effective Date” means the date on which the initial Registration Statement is declared effective by the SEC.

“Effectiveness Deadline” means the date on which the initial Registration Statement is required to be declared effective by the SEC under the terms of the Registration Rights Agreement.

“Insider” means each director, executive officer, other officer of the Company participating in the offering, any beneficial owner of 20% or more of the Company’s outstanding voting equity securities, calculated on the basis of voting power, and any promoter connected with the Company in any capacity on the date hereof.

“Insider Notes” means the Company’s outstanding Demand Promissory Note dated January 10, 2015 (as amended) and the Company’s outstanding Demand Promissory Note dated March 31, 2015.

“Intellectual Property” means all of the following: (i) patents, patent applications, patent disclosures and inventions (whether or not patentable and whether or not reduced to practice); (ii) trademarks, service marks, trade dress, trade names, corporate names, logos, slogans and Internet domain names, together with all goodwill associated with each of the foregoing; (iii) copyrights and copyrightable works; (iv) registrations, applications and renewals for any of the foregoing; and (v) proprietary computer software (including but not limited to data, data bases and documentation).

“Material Adverse Effect” means a material adverse effect on (i) the assets, liabilities, results of operations, condition (financial or otherwise), business, or prospects of the Company and its Subsidiaries taken as a whole, or (ii) the ability of the Company to perform its obligations under the Transaction Documents.

“Material Contract” means any contract, instrument or other agreement to which the Company or any Subsidiary is a party or by which it is bound which is material to the business of the Company and its Subsidiaries, taken as a whole, including those that have been filed or were required to have been filed as an exhibit to the SEC Filings pursuant to Item 601(b)(4) or Item 601(b)(10) of Regulation S-K.

“Note Exchange” means the exchange and cancellation by Ronald P. Erickson and/or his Affiliates of \$500,000 of outstanding principal, accrued interest and other amounts due and owing on the Insider Notes into an aggregate of not more than 5,000,000 shares of Common Stock (the “Exchange Shares”).

“Note Repayment” means (i) the repayment in full of all outstanding principal, accrued interest and other amounts remaining due and owing on the Insider Notes after giving effect to the Note Exchange and (ii) the release and termination of any pledge, lien, collateral assignment, mortgage, security interest or other lien or encumbrance securing the obligations of the Company under the Insider Notes.

“Person” means an individual, corporation, partnership, limited liability company, trust, business trust, association, joint stock company, joint venture, sole proprietorship, unincorporated organization, governmental authority or any other form of entity not specifically listed herein.

“Purchase Price” means Five Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$5,800,000).

“Registration Statement” has the meaning set forth in the Registration Rights Agreement.

“Recapitalization Transactions” means the repurchases of securities of the Company set forth on Schedule 1.

“Required Investors” means (i) prior to Closing the Investors who, together with their Affiliates, have agreed to purchase a majority of the Securities to be sold hereunder and (ii) from and after the Closing the Investors who, together with their Affiliates, beneficially own (calculated in accordance with Rule 13d-3 under the 1934 Act without giving effect to any limitation on the conversion of the Preferred Stock set forth therein and any limitation on the exercise of the Warrants set forth therein) a majority of the Conversion Shares and the Warrant Shares issuable pursuant hereto.

“SEC Filings” has the meaning set forth in Section 4.6.

“Securities” means the Shares, the Conversion Shares, the Warrants and the Warrant Shares.

“SSF Investors” means the Investors Affiliated with AWM Investment Company.

“Subsidiary” of any Person means another Person, an amount of the voting securities, other voting ownership or voting partnership interests of which is sufficient to elect at least a majority of its Board of Directors or other governing body (or, if there are no such voting interests, 50% or more of the equity interests of which) is owned directly or indirectly by such first Person.

“Transaction Documents” means this Agreement, the Certificate of Designation, the Warrants and the Registration Rights Agreement.

“1933 Act” means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or any successor statute, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

“1934 Act” means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or any successor statute, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

2. Purchase and Sale of the Shares and Warrants. Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, on the Closing Date, each of the Investors shall severally, and not jointly, purchase, and the Company shall sell and issue to each Investor, the Shares and Warrants in the respective amounts set forth opposite such Investor’s name on the signature pages attached hereto in exchange for the portion of the Purchase Price as specified in Section 3 below.

3. Closing. Upon confirmation that the other conditions to closing specified herein have been satisfied or duly waived by the Investors, the Company shall file the Certificate of Designation with the Secretary of State of Nevada. Upon confirmation that the Certificate of Designation has been filed and has become effective and the other conditions to closing specified herein have been satisfied or duly waived by the Investors the Company shall deliver to Lowenstein Sandler LLP, in trust, a certificate or certificates, registered in such name or names as the SSF Investors may designate, representing the Shares and Warrants to be purchased by the SSF Investors hereunder, with instructions that such certificates are to be held for release to the SSF Investors only upon payment in full of their portion of the Purchase Price to the Company. Unless other arrangements have been made with a particular Investor, upon such receipt by Lowenstein Sandler LLP of such certificates on behalf of the SSF Investors and upon confirmation that the other conditions to closing specified herein have been satisfied or duly waived by the Investors, (i) each Investor shall promptly cause a wire transfer in same day funds to be sent to the account of the Company as instructed in writing by the Company, in an amount representing such Investor's pro rata portion of the Purchase Price as set forth on the signature pages to this Agreement and (ii) the Company shall mail to each Investor (other than the SSF Investors) or its designee by overnight courier, a certificate or certificates, registered in such name or names as the Investors may designate, representing the Shares and Warrants purchased by such Investor. The date on which such transactions are consummated is hereinafter referred to as the "Closing Date." The closing of the purchase and sale of the Shares and Warrants (the "Closing") shall take place at the offices of Lowenstein Sandler PC, 1251 Avenue of the Americas, 18th Floor, New York, New York 10020, or at such other location and on such other date as the Company and the Investors shall mutually agree.

4. Representations and Warranties of the Company. The Company hereby represents and warrants to the Investors that, except as set forth in the schedules delivered herewith (collectively, the "Disclosure Schedules"):

4.1 Organization, Good Standing and Qualification. Each of the Company and its Subsidiaries is a corporation duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the jurisdiction of its incorporation and has all requisite corporate power and authority to carry on its business as now conducted and to own or lease its properties. Each of the Company and its Subsidiaries is duly qualified to do business as a foreign corporation and is in good standing in each jurisdiction in which the conduct of its business or its ownership or leasing of property makes such qualification or leasing necessary unless the failure to so qualify has not had and could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. The Company's Subsidiaries are listed on Schedule 4.1 hereto.

4.2 Authorization. The Company has full power and authority and, except for the filing of the Certificate of Designation with the Secretary of State of Nevada, has taken all requisite action on the part of the Company, its officers, directors and stockholders necessary for (i) the authorization, execution and delivery of the Transaction Documents, (ii) the authorization of the performance of all obligations of the Company hereunder or thereunder, and (iii) the authorization, issuance (or reservation for issuance) and delivery of the Securities. The Transaction Documents constitute the legal, valid and binding obligations of the Company, enforceable against the Company in accordance with their terms, subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent transfer, reorganization, moratorium and similar laws of general applicability, relating to or affecting creditors' rights generally and to general equitable principles. The Company has the full power and authority to effect the Recapitalization Transactions, Note Exchange, the Note Repayment and the Recapitalization Transactions.

4.3 Capitalization. Schedule 4.3 sets forth as of the date hereof (a) the authorized capital stock of the Company; (b) the number of shares of capital stock issued and outstanding; (c) the number of shares of capital stock issuable pursuant to the Company's stock plans; and (d) the number of shares of capital stock issuable and reserved for issuance pursuant to securities (other than the Shares and the Warrants) exercisable for, or convertible into or exchangeable for any shares of capital stock of the Company. All of the issued and outstanding shares of the Company's capital stock have been duly authorized and validly issued and are fully paid, nonassessable and free of pre-emptive rights and were issued in full compliance with applicable state and federal securities law and any rights of third parties. Except as described on Schedule 4.3, all of the issued and outstanding shares of capital stock of each Subsidiary have been duly authorized and validly issued and are fully paid, nonassessable and free of pre-emptive rights, were issued in full compliance with applicable state and federal securities law and any rights of third parties and are owned by the Company, beneficially and of record, subject to no lien, encumbrance or other adverse claim. Except as described on Schedule 4.3, no Person is entitled to pre-emptive or similar statutory or contractual rights with respect to any securities of the Company. Except as described on Schedule 4.3, there are no outstanding warrants, options, convertible securities or other rights, agreements or arrangements of any character under which the Company or any of its Subsidiaries is or may be obligated to issue any equity securities of any kind and except as contemplated by this Agreement, neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries is currently in negotiations for the issuance of any equity securities of any kind. Except as described on Schedule 4.3 and except for the Registration Rights Agreement, there are no voting agreements, buy-sell agreements, option or right of first purchase agreements or other agreements of any kind among the Company and any of the securityholders of the Company relating to the securities of the Company held by them. Except as described on Schedule 4.3 and except as provided in the Registration Rights Agreement, no Person has the right to require the Company to register any securities of the Company under the 1933 Act, whether on a demand basis or in connection with the registration of securities of the Company for its own account or for the account of any other Person.

The issuance and sale of the Securities hereunder will not obligate the Company to issue shares of Common Stock or other securities to any other Person (other than the Investors) and will not result in the adjustment of the exercise, conversion, exchange or reset price of any outstanding security, except for such rights as have been irrevocably waived with respect to the issuance and sale of the Securities hereunder on or prior to the date hereof.

Except as described on Schedule 4.3, the Company does not have outstanding stockholder purchase rights or "poison pill" or any similar arrangement in effect giving any Person the right to purchase any equity interest in the Company upon the occurrence of certain events.

4.4 Valid Issuance. Upon the filing of the Certificate of Designation with the Secretary of State of Nevada, the Shares will have been duly and validly authorized and, when issued and paid for pursuant to this Agreement, will be validly issued, fully paid and nonassessable, and shall be free and clear of all encumbrances and restrictions (other than those created by the Investors), except for restrictions on transfer set forth in the Transaction Documents or imposed by applicable securities laws. Upon the due conversion of the Shares, the Conversion Shares will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable and free and clear of all encumbrances and restrictions, except for restrictions on transfer set forth in the Transaction Documents or imposed by applicable securities laws. The Company has reserved a sufficient number of shares of Common Stock for issuance upon the conversion of the Shares. The Warrants have been duly and validly authorized. Upon the due exercise of the Warrants, the Warrant Shares will be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable free and clear of all encumbrances and restrictions, except for restrictions on transfer set forth in the Transaction Documents or imposed by applicable securities laws and except for those created by the Investors. The Company has reserved a sufficient number of shares of Common Stock for issuance upon the exercise of the Warrants.

4.5 Consents. Except for the filing of the Certificate of Designation with the Secretary of State of Nevada, the execution, delivery and performance by the Company of the Transaction Documents and the offer, issuance and sale of the Securities require no consent of, action by or in respect of, or filing with, any Person, governmental body, agency, or official other than filings that have been made pursuant to applicable state securities laws and post-sale filings pursuant to applicable state and federal securities laws which the Company undertakes to file within the applicable time periods. Subject to the accuracy of the representations and warranties of each Investor set forth in Section 5 hereof, the Company has taken all action necessary to exempt (i) the issuance and sale of the Securities, (ii) the issuance of the Conversion Shares upon due conversion of the Shares, (iii) the issuance of the Warrant Shares upon due exercise of the Warrants, and (iv) the other transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents from the provisions of any stockholder rights plan or other “poison pill” arrangement, any anti-takeover, business combination or control share law or statute binding on the Company or to which the Company or any of its assets and properties may be subject and any provision of the Company’s Certificate of Incorporation or Bylaws that is or could reasonably be expected to become applicable to the Investors as a result of the transactions contemplated hereby, including without limitation, the issuance of the Securities and the ownership, disposition or voting of the Securities by the Investors or the exercise of any right granted to the Investors pursuant to this Agreement or the other Transaction Documents.

4.6 Delivery of SEC Filings; Business. The Company has made available to the Investors through the EDGAR system, true and complete copies of the Company’s most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2014 (the “10-K”), and all other reports filed by the Company pursuant to the 1934 Act since the filing of the 10-K and prior to the date hereof (collectively, the “SEC Filings”). The SEC Filings are the only filings required of the Company pursuant to the 1934 Act for such period. The Company and its Subsidiaries are engaged in all material respects only in the business described in the SEC Filings and the SEC Filings contain a complete and accurate description in all material respects of the business of the Company and its Subsidiaries, taken as a whole.

4.7 Use of Proceeds. The net proceeds of the sale of the Shares and the Warrants hereunder shall be used by the Company for working capital and general corporate purposes.

4.8 No Material Adverse Change. Since September 30, 2014, except as identified and described in the SEC Filings or as described on Schedule 4.8, there has not been:

(i) any change in the consolidated assets, liabilities, financial condition or operating results of the Company from that reflected in the financial statements included in the Company's Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2014, except for changes in the ordinary course of business which have not had and could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, individually or in the aggregate;

(ii) any declaration or payment of any dividend, or any authorization or payment of any distribution, on any of the capital stock of the Company, or any redemption or repurchase of any securities of the Company;

(iii) any material damage, destruction or loss, whether or not covered by insurance to any assets or properties of the Company or its Subsidiaries;

(iv) any waiver, not in the ordinary course of business, by the Company or any Subsidiary of a material right or of a material debt owed to it;

(v) any satisfaction or discharge of any lien, claim or encumbrance or payment of any obligation by the Company or a Subsidiary, except in the ordinary course of business and which is not material to the assets, properties, financial condition, operating results or business of the Company and its Subsidiaries taken as a whole (as such business is presently conducted and as it is proposed to be conducted);

(vi) other than the Certificate of Designation, any change or amendment to the Company's Certificate of Incorporation or Bylaws, or material change to any material contract or arrangement by which the Company or any Subsidiary is bound or to which any of their respective assets or properties is subject;

(vii) any material labor difficulties or labor union organizing activities with respect to employees of the Company or any Subsidiary;

(viii) any material transaction entered into by the Company or a Subsidiary other than in the ordinary course of business;

(ix) the loss of the services of any key employee, or material change in the composition or duties of the senior management of the Company or any Subsidiary;

(x) the loss or threatened loss of any customer which has had or could reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect; or

(xi) any other event or condition of any character that has had or could reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

4.9 SEC Filings; S-3 Eligibility.

(a) At the time of filing thereof, the SEC Filings complied as to form in all material respects with the requirements of the 1934 Act and did not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact required to be stated therein or necessary in order to make the statements made therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

(b) Each registration statement and any amendment thereto filed by the Company since January 1, 2011 pursuant to the 1933 Act and the rules and regulations thereunder, as of the date such statement or amendment became effective, complied as to form in all material respects with the 1933 Act and did not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact required to be stated therein or necessary in order to make the statements made therein not misleading; and each prospectus filed pursuant to Rule 424(b) under the 1933 Act, as of its issue date and as of the closing of any sale of securities pursuant thereto did not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state any material fact required to be stated therein or necessary in order to make the statements made therein, in the light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

(c) The Company is not currently eligible to use Form S-3 to register the Registrable Securities (as such term is defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) for sale or other disposition by the Investors as contemplated by the Registration Rights Agreement.

4.10 No Conflict, Breach, Violation or Default. Subject to the filing of the Certificate of Designation with the State of Nevada, the execution, delivery and performance of the Transaction Documents by the Company, the issuance and sale of the Securities and effecting the Note Exchange, the Note Repayment and the Recapitalization Transactions will not (i) conflict with or result in a breach or violation of (a) any of the terms and provisions of, or constitute a default under the Company's Certificate of Incorporation or the Company's Bylaws, both as in effect on the date hereof (true and complete copies of which have been made available to the Investors through the EDGAR system), or (b) any statute, rule, regulation or order of any governmental agency or body or any court, domestic or foreign, having jurisdiction over the Company, any Subsidiary or any of their respective assets or properties, or (ii) conflict with, or constitute a default (or an event that with notice or lapse of time or both would become a default) under, result in the creation of any lien, encumbrance or other adverse claim upon any of the properties or assets of the Company or any Subsidiary or give to others any rights of termination, amendment, acceleration or cancellation (with or without notice, lapse of time or both) of, any Material Contract.

4.11 Tax Matters. The Company and each Subsidiary has timely prepared and filed all tax returns required to have been filed by the Company or such Subsidiary with all appropriate governmental agencies and timely paid all taxes shown thereon or otherwise owed by it. The charges, accruals and reserves on the books of the Company in respect of taxes for all fiscal periods are adequate in all material respects, and there are no material unpaid assessments against the Company or any Subsidiary nor, to the Company's Knowledge, any basis for the assessment of any additional taxes, penalties or interest for any fiscal period or audits by any federal, state or local taxing authority except for any assessment which is not material to the Company and its Subsidiaries, taken as a whole. All taxes and other assessments and levies that the Company or any Subsidiary is required to withhold or to collect for payment have been duly withheld and collected and paid to the proper governmental entity or third party when due. There are no tax liens or claims pending or, to the Company's Knowledge, threatened against the Company or any Subsidiary or any of their respective assets or property. Except as described on Schedule 4.11, there are no outstanding tax sharing agreements or other such arrangements between the Company and any Subsidiary or other corporation or entity.

4.12 Title to Properties. Except as disclosed in the SEC Filings or as described in Schedule 4.12, the Company and each Subsidiary has good and marketable title to all real properties and all other properties and assets owned by it, in each case free from liens, encumbrances and defects that would materially affect the value thereof or materially interfere with the use made or currently planned to be made thereof by them; and except as disclosed in the SEC Filings, the Company and each Subsidiary holds any leased real or personal property under valid and enforceable leases with no exceptions that would materially interfere with the use made or currently planned to be made thereof by them.

4.13 Certificates, Authorities and Permits. The Company and each Subsidiary possess adequate certificates, authorities or permits issued by appropriate governmental agencies or bodies necessary to conduct the business now operated by it, and neither the Company nor any Subsidiary has received any notice of proceedings relating to the revocation or modification of any such certificate, authority or permit that, if determined adversely to the Company or such Subsidiary, could reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, individually or in the aggregate.

4.14 Labor Matters.

(a) Except as set forth on Schedule 4.14, the Company is not a party to or bound by any collective bargaining agreements or other agreements with labor organizations. The Company has not violated in any material respect any laws, regulations, orders or contract terms, affecting the collective bargaining rights of employees, labor organizations or any laws, regulations or orders affecting employment discrimination, equal opportunity employment, or employees' health, safety, welfare, wages and hours.

(b) (i) There are no labor disputes existing, or to the Company's Knowledge, threatened, involving strikes, slow-downs, work stoppages, job actions, disputes, lockouts or any other disruptions of or by the Company's employees, (ii) there are no unfair labor practices or petitions for election pending or, to the Company's Knowledge, threatened before the National Labor Relations Board or any other federal, state or local labor commission relating to the Company's employees, (iii) no demand for recognition or certification heretofore made by any labor organization or group of employees is pending with respect to the Company and (iv) to the Company's Knowledge, the Company enjoys good labor and employee relations with its employees and labor organizations.

(c) The Company is, and at all times has been, in compliance in all material respects with all applicable laws respecting employment (including laws relating to classification of employees and independent contractors) and employment practices, terms and conditions of employment, wages and hours, and immigration and naturalization. There are no claims pending against the Company before the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission or any other administrative body or in any court asserting any violation of Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Age Discrimination Act of 1967, 42 U.S.C. §§ 1981 or 1983 or any other federal, state or local Law, statute or ordinance barring discrimination in employment.

(d) Except as disclosed in the SEC Filings or as described on Schedule 4.14, the Company is not a party to, or bound by, any employment or other contract or agreement that contains any severance, termination pay or change of control liability or obligation, including, without limitation, any “excess parachute payment,” as defined in Section 280G(b) of the Internal Revenue Code.

(e) Except as specified in Schedule 4.14, each of the Company's employees is a Person who is either a United States citizen or a permanent resident entitled to work in the United States. To the Company's Knowledge, the Company has no liability for the improper classification by the Company of such employees as independent contractors or leased employees prior to the Closing.

4.15 Intellectual Property.

(a) All Intellectual Property of the Company and its Subsidiaries is currently in compliance with all legal requirements (including timely filings, proofs and payments of fees) and is valid and enforceable. No Intellectual Property of the Company or its Subsidiaries which is necessary for the conduct of Company's and each of its Subsidiaries' respective businesses as currently conducted or as currently proposed to be conducted has been or is now involved in any cancellation, dispute or litigation, and, to the Company's Knowledge, no such action is threatened. No patent of the Company or its Subsidiaries has been or is now involved in any interference, reissue, re-examination or opposition proceeding.

(b) All of the licenses and sublicenses and consent, royalty or other agreements concerning Intellectual Property which are necessary for the conduct of the Company's and each of its Subsidiaries' respective businesses as currently conducted or as currently proposed to be conducted to which the Company or any Subsidiary is a party or by which any of their assets are bound (other than generally commercially available, non-custom, off-the-shelf software application programs having a retail acquisition price of less than \$10,000 per license) (collectively, “License Agreements”) are valid and binding obligations of the Company or its Subsidiaries that are parties thereto and, to the Company's Knowledge, the other parties thereto, enforceable in accordance with their terms, except to the extent that enforcement thereof may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, fraudulent conveyance or other similar laws affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally, and there exists no event or condition which will result in a material violation or breach of or constitute (with or without due notice or lapse of time or both) a default by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries under any such License Agreement.

(c) The Company and its Subsidiaries own or have the valid right to use all of the Intellectual Property that is necessary for the conduct of the Company's and each of its Subsidiaries' respective businesses as currently conducted or as currently proposed to be conducted and for the ownership, maintenance and operation of the Company's and its Subsidiaries' properties and assets, free and clear of all liens, encumbrances, adverse claims or obligations to license all such owned Intellectual Property and Confidential Information, other than licenses entered into in the ordinary course of the Company's and its Subsidiaries' businesses. The Company and its Subsidiaries have a valid and enforceable right to use all third party Intellectual Property and Confidential Information used or held for use in the respective businesses of the Company and its Subsidiaries.

(d) To the Company's Knowledge, the conduct of the Company's and its Subsidiaries' businesses as currently conducted does not infringe or otherwise impair or conflict with (collectively, "Infringe") any Intellectual Property rights of any third party or any confidentiality obligation owed to a third party, and, to the Company's Knowledge, the Intellectual Property and Confidential Information of the Company and its Subsidiaries which are necessary for the conduct of Company's and each of its Subsidiaries' respective businesses as currently conducted or as currently proposed to be conducted are not being Infringed by any third party. There is no litigation or order pending or outstanding or, to the Company's Knowledge, threatened or imminent, that seeks to limit or challenge or that concerns the ownership, use, validity or enforceability of any Intellectual Property or Confidential Information of the Company and its Subsidiaries and the Company's and its Subsidiaries' use of any Intellectual Property or Confidential Information owned by a third party, and, to the Company's Knowledge, there is no valid basis for the same.

(e) The consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby and by the other Transaction Documents will not result in the alteration, loss, impairment of or restriction on the Company's or any of its Subsidiaries' ownership or right to use any of the Intellectual Property or Confidential Information which is necessary for the conduct of Company's and each of its Subsidiaries' respective businesses as currently conducted or as currently proposed to be conducted.

(f) The Company and its Subsidiaries have taken reasonable steps to protect the Company's and its Subsidiaries' rights in their Intellectual Property and Confidential Information. Each employee, consultant and contractor who has had access to Confidential Information which is necessary for the conduct of Company's and each of its Subsidiaries' respective businesses as currently conducted or as currently proposed to be conducted has executed an agreement to maintain the confidentiality of such Confidential Information and has executed appropriate agreements that are substantially consistent with the Company's standard forms thereof. Except under confidentiality obligations, there has been no material disclosure of any of the Company's or its Subsidiaries' Confidential Information to any third party.

4.16 Environmental Matters. Neither the Company nor any Subsidiary is in violation of any statute, rule, regulation, decision or order of any governmental agency or body or any court, domestic or foreign, relating to the use, disposal or release of hazardous or toxic substances or relating to the protection or restoration of the environment or human exposure to hazardous or toxic substances (collectively, "Environmental Laws"), owns or operates any real property contaminated with any substance that is subject to any Environmental Laws, is liable for any off-site disposal or contamination pursuant to any Environmental Laws, or is subject to any claim relating to any Environmental Laws, which violation, contamination, liability or claim has had or could reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, individually or in the aggregate; and there is no pending or, to the Company's Knowledge, threatened investigation that might lead to such a claim.

4.17 Litigation. Except as described on Schedule 4.17, there are no pending actions, suits or proceedings against or affecting the Company, its Subsidiaries or any of its or their properties; and to the Company's Knowledge, no such actions, suits or proceedings are threatened or contemplated. Neither the Company nor any Subsidiary, nor any director or officer thereof, is or since January 1, 2009 has been the subject of any action involving a claim of violation of or liability under federal or state securities laws or a claim of breach of fiduciary duty. There has not been, and to the Company's Knowledge, there is not pending or contemplated, any investigation by the SEC involving the Company or any current or former director or officer of the Company. The SEC has not issued any stop order or other order suspending the effectiveness of any registration statement filed by the Company or any Subsidiary under the 1933 Act or the 1934 Act.

4.18 Financial Statements. The financial statements included in each SEC Filing comply in all material respects with applicable accounting requirements and the rules and regulations of the SEC with respect thereto as in effect at the time of filing (or to the extent corrected by a subsequent restatement) and present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Company as of the dates shown and its consolidated results of operations and cash flows for the periods shown, and such financial statements have been prepared in conformity with United States generally accepted accounting principles applied on a consistent basis ("GAAP") (except as may be disclosed therein or in the notes thereto, and, in the case of quarterly financial statements, as permitted by Form 10-Q under the 1934 Act). Except as set forth in the financial statements of the Company included in the SEC Filings filed prior to the date hereof or as described on Schedule 4.18, neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries has incurred any liabilities, contingent or otherwise, except those incurred in the ordinary course of business, consistent (as to amount and nature) with past practices since the date of such financial statements, none of which, individually or in the aggregate, have had or could reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

4.19 Insurance Coverage. The Company and each Subsidiary maintains in full force and effect insurance coverage that is customary for comparably situated companies for the business being conducted and properties owned or leased by the Company and each Subsidiary, and the Company reasonably believes such insurance coverage to be adequate against all liabilities, claims and risks against which it is customary for comparably situated companies to insure.

4.20 Registration of Common Stock. The Common Stock is registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the 1934 Act and is quoted on OTCQB maintained by OTC Markets Group Inc. (the "OTCQB"), and the Company has taken no action designed to, or likely to have the effect of, terminating the registration of the Common Stock under the 1934 Act or removal from quotation of the Common Stock from the OTCQB, nor has the Company received any notification that the SEC, the OTCQB or the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, Inc. is contemplating terminating such registration or quotation.

4.21 Brokers and Finders. No Person will have, as a result of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents, any valid right, interest or claim against or upon the Company, any Subsidiary or an Investor for any commission, fee or other compensation pursuant to any agreement, arrangement or understanding entered into by or on behalf of the Company, other than as described in Schedule 4.21.

4.22 No Directed Selling Efforts or General Solicitation. Neither the Company nor any Person acting on its behalf has conducted any general solicitation or general advertising (as those terms are used in Regulation D) in connection with the offer or sale of any of the Securities.

4.23 No Integrated Offering. Neither the Company nor any of its Affiliates, nor any Person acting on its or their behalf has, directly or indirectly, made any offers or sales of any Company security or solicited any offers to buy any security, including, without limitation, the Convertible Notes, under circumstances that would adversely affect reliance by the Company on Section 4(a)(2) for the exemption from registration for the transactions contemplated hereby or would require registration of the Securities under the 1933 Act.

4.24 Rule 506 Compliance. To the Company's knowledge, neither the Company nor any Insider is subject to any of the "Bad Actor" disqualifications described in Rule 506(d)(1)(i) to (viii) under the 1933 Act (a "Disqualification Event"), except for a Disqualification Event covered by Rule 506(d)(2)(i) or (d)(3) of the 1933 Act. The Company is not disqualified from relying on Rule 506 of Regulation D under the 1933 Act ("Rule 506") for any of the reasons stated in Rule 506(d) in connection with the issuance and sale of the Securities to the Investors pursuant to this Agreement. The Company has exercised reasonable care, including without limitation, conducting a factual inquiry that is appropriate in light of the circumstances, into whether any such disqualification under Rule 506(d) exists. The Company has furnished to each Investor, a reasonable time prior to the date hereof, a description in writing of any matters relating to the Company and the Insiders that would have triggered disqualification under Rule 506(d) but which occurred before September 23, 2013, in each case, in compliance with the disclosure requirements of Rule 506(e). The Company has exercised reasonable care, including without limitation, conducting a factual inquiry that is appropriate in light of the circumstances, into whether any such disqualification under Rule 506(d) would have existed and whether any disclosure is required to be made to Investor under Rule 506(e). Any outstanding securities of the Company (of any kind or nature) that were issued in reliance on Rule 506 at any time on or after September 23, 2013 have been issued in compliance with Rule 506(d) and (e).

4.25 Private Placement. The offer and sale of the Securities to the Investors as contemplated hereby is exempt from the registration requirements of the 1933 Act.

4.26 Shell Company Status. The Company is not, and has never been, an issuer identified in Rule 144(i)(1).

4.27 Questionable Payments. Neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries nor, to the Company's Knowledge, any of their respective current or former stockholders, directors, officers, employees, agents or other Persons acting on behalf of the Company or any Subsidiary, has on behalf of the Company or any Subsidiary or in connection with their respective businesses: (a) used any corporate funds for unlawful contributions, gifts, entertainment or other unlawful expenses relating to political activity; (b) made any direct or indirect unlawful payments to any governmental officials or employees from corporate funds; (c) established or maintained any unlawful or unrecorded fund of corporate monies or other assets; (d) made any false or fictitious entries on the books and records of the Company or any Subsidiary; or (e) made any unlawful bribe, rebate, payoff, influence payment, kickback or other unlawful payment of any nature.

4.28 Transactions with Affiliates. Except as disclosed in the SEC Filings or as disclosed on Schedule 4.28, none of the officers or directors of the Company and, to the Company's Knowledge, none of the employees of the Company is presently a party to any transaction with the Company or any Subsidiary (other than as holders of stock options and/or warrants, and for services as employees, officers and directors), including any contract, agreement or other arrangement providing for the furnishing of services to or by, providing for rental of real or personal property to or from, or otherwise requiring payments to or from any officer, director or such employee or, to the Company's Knowledge, any entity in which any officer, director, or any such employee has a substantial interest or is an officer, director, trustee or partner.

4.29 Internal Controls. The Company is in material compliance with the provisions of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 currently applicable to the Company. The Company and the Subsidiaries maintain a system of internal accounting controls sufficient to provide reasonable assurance that (i) transactions are executed in accordance with management's general or specific authorizations, (ii) transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP and to maintain asset accountability, (iii) access to assets is permitted only in accordance with management's general or specific authorization, and (iv) the recorded accountability for assets is compared with the existing assets at reasonable intervals and appropriate action is taken with respect to any differences. The Company has established disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in 1934 Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) for the Company and designed such disclosure controls and procedures to ensure that material information relating to the Company, including the Subsidiaries, is made known to the certifying officers by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which the Company's most recently filed periodic report under the 1934 Act, as the case may be, is being prepared. The Company's certifying officers have evaluated the effectiveness of the Company's controls and procedures as of the end of the period covered by the most recently filed periodic report under the 1934 Act (such date, the "Evaluation Date"). The Company presented in its most recently filed periodic report under the 1934 Act the conclusions of the certifying officers about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures based on their evaluations as of the Evaluation Date. Since the Evaluation Date, there have been no significant changes in the Company's internal controls (as such term is defined in Item 308 of Regulation S-K) or, to the Company's Knowledge, in other factors that could significantly affect the Company's internal controls. The Company maintains and will continue to maintain a standard system of accounting established and administered in accordance with GAAP and the applicable requirements of the 1934 Act.

4.30 Disclosures. Neither the Company nor any Person acting on its behalf has provided the Investors or their agents or counsel with any information that constitutes or might constitute material, non-public information, other than the terms of the transactions contemplated hereby. The written materials delivered to the Investors in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents do not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary in order to make the statements contained therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

4.31 Investment Company. The Company is not required to be registered as, and is not an Affiliate of, and immediately following the Closing will not be required to register as, an "investment company" within the meaning of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended.

4.32 Solvency. Based on the financial condition of the Company as of the Closing Date after giving effect to the Note Exchange and the receipt by the Company of the proceeds from the sale of the Shares and Warrants hereunder, the Company's fair saleable value of its assets exceeds the amount that will be required to be paid on or in respect of the Company's existing debts and other liabilities (including known contingent liabilities) as they mature; (ii) the Company's assets do not constitute unreasonably small capital to carry on its business for the current fiscal year as now conducted and as proposed to be conducted including its capital needs taking into account the particular capital requirements of the business conducted by the Company, and projected capital requirements and capital availability thereof; and (iii) the current cash flow of the Company, together with the proceeds the Company would receive, were it to liquidate all of its assets, after taking into account all anticipated uses of the cash, would be sufficient to pay all amounts on or in respect of its debt when such amounts are required to be paid. The Company does not intend to incur debts beyond its ability to pay such debts as they mature (taking into account the timing and amounts of cash to be payable on or in respect of its debt). The Company has no knowledge of any facts or circumstances which lead it to believe that it will file for reorganization or liquidation under the bankruptcy or reorganization laws of any jurisdiction within one year from the Closing Date.

5. Representations and Warranties of the Investors. Each of the Investors hereby severally, and not jointly, represents and warrants to the Company that:

5.1 Organization and Existence. Such Investor is a validly existing corporation, limited partnership or limited liability company and has all requisite corporate, partnership or limited liability company power and authority to invest in the Securities pursuant to this Agreement.

5.2 Authorization. The execution, delivery and performance by such Investor of the Transaction Documents to which such Investor is a party have been duly authorized and each will constitute the valid and legally binding obligation of such Investor, enforceable against such Investor in accordance with their respective terms, subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent transfer, reorganization, moratorium and similar laws of general applicability, relating to or affecting creditors' rights generally.

5.3 Purchase Entirely for Own Account. The Securities to be received by such Investor hereunder will be acquired for such Investor's own account, not as nominee or agent, and not with a view to the resale or distribution of any part thereof in violation of the 1933 Act, and such Investor has no present intention of selling, granting any participation in, or otherwise distributing the same in violation of the 1933 Act without prejudice, however, to such Investor's right at all times to sell or otherwise dispose of all or any part of such Securities in compliance with applicable federal and state securities laws. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed a representation or warranty by such Investor to hold the Securities for any period of time. Such Investor is not a broker-dealer registered with the SEC under the 1934 Act or an entity engaged in a business that would require it to be so registered.

5.4 Investment Experience. Such Investor acknowledges that it can bear the economic risk and complete loss of its investment in the Securities and has such knowledge and experience in financial or business matters that it is capable of evaluating the merits and risks of the investment contemplated hereby.

5.5 Disclosure of Information. Such Investor has had an opportunity to receive all information related to the Company requested by it and to ask questions of and receive answers from the Company regarding the Company, its business and the terms and conditions of the offering of the Securities. Such Investor acknowledges receipt of copies of the SEC Filings. Neither such inquiries nor any other due diligence investigation conducted by such Investor shall modify, limit or otherwise affect such Investor's right to rely on the Company's representations and warranties contained in this Agreement.

5.6 Restricted Securities. Such Investor understands that the Securities are characterized as "restricted securities" under the U.S. federal securities laws inasmuch as they are being acquired from the Company in a transaction not involving a public offering and that under such laws and applicable regulations such securities may be resold without registration under the 1933 Act only in certain limited circumstances.

5.7 Legends. It is understood that, except as provided below, certificates evidencing the Securities may bear the following or any similar legend:

(a) "The securities represented hereby have not been registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission or the securities commission of any state in reliance upon an exemption from registration under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and, accordingly, may not be transferred unless (i) such securities have been registered for sale pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, (ii) such securities may be sold pursuant to Rule 144, or (iii) the Company has received an opinion of counsel reasonably satisfactory to it that such transfer may lawfully be made without registration under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended."

(b) If required by the authorities of any state in connection with the issuance or sale of the Securities, the legend required by such state authority.

5.8 Accredited Investor. Such Investor is an accredited investor as defined in Rule 501(a) of Regulation D, as amended, under the 1933 Act, as amended by the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act.

5.9 No General Solicitation. Such Investor did not learn of the investment in the Securities as a result of any general solicitation or general advertising.

5.10 Brokers and Finders. No Person will have, as a result of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents, any valid right, interest or claim against or upon the Company, any Subsidiary or an Investor for any commission, fee or other compensation pursuant to any agreement, arrangement or understanding entered into by or on behalf of such Investor.

5.11 Prohibited Transactions. Since the earlier of (a) such time as such Investor was first contacted by the Company or any other Person acting on behalf of the Company regarding the transactions contemplated hereby or (b) thirty (30) days prior to the date hereof, neither such Investor nor any Affiliate of such Investor which (x) had knowledge of the transactions contemplated hereby, (y) has or shares discretion relating to such Investor's investments or trading or information concerning such Investor's investments, including in respect of the Securities, or (z) is subject to such Investor's review or input concerning such Affiliate's investments or trading (collectively, "Trading Affiliates") has, directly or indirectly, effected or agreed to effect any short sale, whether or not against the box, established any "put equivalent position" (as defined in Rule 16a-1(h) under the 1934 Act) with respect to the Common Stock, granted any other right (including, without limitation, any put or call option) with respect to the Common Stock or with respect to any security that includes, relates to or derived any significant part of its value from the Common Stock or otherwise sought to hedge its position in the Securities (each, a "Prohibited Transaction"). Prior to the earliest to occur of (i) the termination of this Agreement, (ii) the Effective Date or (iii) the Effectiveness Deadline, such Investor shall not, and shall cause its Trading Affiliates not to, engage, directly or indirectly, in a Prohibited Transaction. Such Investor acknowledges that the representations, warranties and covenants contained in this Section 5.11 are being made for the benefit of the Investors as well as the Company and that each of the other Investors shall have an independent right to assert any claims against such Investor arising out of any breach or violation of the provisions of this Section 5.11.

6. Conditions to Closing

6.1 Conditions to the Investors' Obligations. The obligation of each Investor to purchase the Shares and the Warrants at the Closing is subject to the fulfillment to such Investor's satisfaction, on or prior to the Closing Date, of the following conditions, any of which may be waived by such Investor (as to itself only):

(a) The representations and warranties made by the Company in Section 4 hereof qualified as to materiality shall be true and correct at all times prior to and on the Closing Date, except to the extent any such representation or warranty expressly speaks as of an earlier date, in which case such representation or warranty shall be true and correct as of such earlier date, and, the representations and warranties made by the Company in Section 4 hereof not qualified as to materiality shall be true and correct in all material respects at all times prior to and on the Closing Date, except to the extent any such representation or warranty expressly speaks as of an earlier date, in which case such representation or warranty shall be true and correct in all material respects as of such earlier date. The Company shall have performed in all material respects all obligations and covenants herein required to be performed by it on or prior to the Closing Date.

(b) The Company shall have obtained any and all consents, permits, approvals, registrations and waivers necessary or appropriate for consummation of the purchase and sale of the Securities and the consummation of the other transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents, all of which shall be in full force and effect.

(c) The Company shall have executed and delivered the Registration Rights Agreement.

(d) The Company shall have received gross proceeds from the sale of the Shares and Warrants as contemplated hereby of at least Five Million Dollars (\$5,000,000).

(e) The Certificate of Designation shall have been filed with the Secretary of State of Nevada and shall be effective; a filed copy of the Certificate of Designation shall have been provided to the Investors.

(f) Simultaneously with the Closing, the Company shall have effected the Note Exchange, the Note Repayment, and the Recapitalization Transactions.

(g) No judgment, writ, order, injunction, award or decree of or by any court, or judge, justice or magistrate, including any bankruptcy court or judge, or any order of or by any governmental authority, shall have been issued, and no action or proceeding shall have been instituted by any governmental authority, enjoining or preventing the consummation of the transactions contemplated hereby or in the other Transaction Documents.

(h) The Company shall have delivered a Certificate, executed on behalf of the Company by its Chief Executive Officer or its Chief Financial Officer, dated as of the Closing Date, certifying to the fulfillment of the conditions specified in subsections (a), (b), (f) and (j) of this Section 6.1.

(i) The Company shall have delivered a Certificate, executed on behalf of the Company by its Secretary, dated as of the Closing Date, certifying the resolutions adopted by the Board of Directors of the Company approving the transactions contemplated by this Agreement and the other Transaction Documents and the issuance of the Securities, certifying the current versions of the Certificate of Incorporation and Bylaws of the Company and certifying as to the signatures and authority of persons signing the Transaction Documents and related documents on behalf of the Company.

(j) The Investors shall have received an opinion from Fifth Avenue Law Group PLLC, the Company's counsel, dated as of the Closing Date, in form and substance reasonably acceptable to the Investors and addressing such legal matters as the Investors may reasonably request.

(k) No stop order or suspension of trading shall have been imposed by OTCQB, the SEC or any other governmental or regulatory body with respect to public trading in the Common Stock.

6.2 Conditions to Obligations of the Company. The Company's obligation to sell and issue the Shares and the Warrants at the Closing is subject to the fulfillment to the satisfaction of the Company on or prior to the Closing Date of the following conditions, any of which may be waived by the Company:

(a) The representations and warranties made by the Investors in Section 5 hereof, other than the representations and warranties contained in Sections 5.3, 5.4, 5.5, 5.6, 5.7, 5.8 and 5.9 (the "Investment Representations"), shall be true and correct in all material respects when made, and shall be true and correct in all material respects on the Closing Date with the same force and effect as if they had been made on and as of said date. The Investment Representations shall be true and correct in all respects when made, and shall be true and correct in all respects on the Closing Date with the same force and effect as if they had been made on and as of said date. The Investors shall have performed in all material respects all obligations and covenants herein required to be performed by them on or prior to the Closing Date.

(b) The Investors shall have executed and delivered the Registration Rights Agreement.

(c) The Investors shall have delivered the Purchase Price to the Company.

6.3 Termination of Obligations to Effect Closing; Effects.

(a) The obligations of the Company, on the one hand, and the Investors, on the other hand, to effect the Closing shall terminate as follows:

(i) Upon the mutual written consent of the Company and the Investors;

- (ii) By the Company if any of the conditions set forth in Section 6.2 shall have become incapable of fulfillment, and shall not have been waived by the Company;
- (iii) By an Investor (with respect to itself only) if any of the conditions set forth in Section 6.1 shall have become incapable of fulfillment, and shall not have been waived by the Investor; or
- (iv) By either the Company or any Investor (with respect to itself only) if the Closing has not occurred on or prior to October 31, 2015;

provided, however, that, except in the case of clause (i) above, the party seeking to terminate its obligation to effect the Closing shall not then be in breach of any of its representations, warranties, covenants or agreements contained in this Agreement or the other Transaction Documents if such breach has resulted in the circumstances giving rise to such party's seeking to terminate its obligation to effect the Closing.

(b) In the event of termination by the Company or any Investor of its obligations to effect the Closing pursuant to this Section 6.3, written notice thereof shall forthwith be given to the other Investors by the Company and the other Investors shall have the right to terminate their obligations to effect the Closing upon written notice to the Company and the other Investors. Nothing in this Section 6.3 shall be deemed to release any party from any liability for any breach by such party of the terms and provisions of this Agreement or the other Transaction Documents or to impair the right of any party to compel specific performance by any other party of its obligations under this Agreement or the other Transaction Documents.

7. Covenants and Agreements of the Company.

7.1 Reservation of Common Stock. The Company shall at all times reserve and keep available out of its authorized but unissued shares of Common Stock, solely for the purpose of providing for the conversion of the Shares and the exercise of the Warrants, such number of shares of Common Stock as shall from time to time equal the number of shares sufficient to permit the conversion of the Shares and the exercise of the Warrants issued pursuant to this Agreement in accordance with their respective terms.

7.2 Reports. The Company will furnish to the Investors and/or their assignees such information relating to the Company and its Subsidiaries as from time to time may reasonably be requested by the Investors and/or their assignees; provided, however, that the Company shall not disclose material nonpublic information to the Investors, or to advisors to or representatives of the Investors, unless prior to disclosure of such information the Company identifies such information as being material nonpublic information and provides the Investors, such advisors and representatives with the opportunity to accept or refuse to accept such material nonpublic information for review and any Investor wishing to obtain such information enters into an appropriate confidentiality agreement with the Company with respect thereto.

7.3 No Conflicting Agreements. The Company will not take any action, enter into any agreement or make any commitment that would conflict or interfere in any material respect with the Company's obligations to the Investors under the Transaction Documents.

7.4 Insurance. The Company shall not materially reduce the insurance coverages described in Section 4.19.

7.5 Compliance with Laws. The Company will comply in all material respects with all applicable laws, rules, regulations, orders and decrees of all governmental authorities.

7.6 Listing of Underlying Shares and Related Matters. The Company shall use its commercially reasonable efforts to take all necessary action to cause the Common Stock, including the Conversion Shares and the Warrant Shares, to be listed on The NASDAQ Capital Market as soon as practicable and in any event not later than the one-year anniversary of the Closing, including without limitation, effecting a reverse split of its Common Stock as described in Section 7.9. As promptly as practicable and in no event later than the 180th day after the Closing Date, the Company shall reconstitute its Board of Directors (the "Board") so that as so constituted, the Board shall consist of not less than five members, a majority of whom shall each qualify as an "independent director" as defined in NASDAQ Marketplace Rule 5605(a)(2) and the related NASDAQ interpretive guidance. From and after the 180th day after Closing, the Company shall comply with NASDAQ's Marketplace Rules (other than minimum bid price and similar listing requirements), including the requirements related to Board composition, the holding of annual meetings of shareholders and the timely filing of proxy statements. Once listed on The NASDAQ Capital Market, the Company will use commercially reasonable efforts to continue the listing and trading of its Common Stock on a stock market maintained by NASDAQ and, in accordance, therewith, will use commercially reasonable efforts to comply in all respects with the Company's reporting, filing and other obligations under NASDAQ's bylaws or rules, as applicable.

7.7 Termination of Covenants. The provisions of Sections 7.2 through 7.5 shall terminate and be of no further force and effect on the date on which the Company's obligations under the Registration Rights Agreement to register or maintain the effectiveness of any registration covering the Registrable Securities (as such term is defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) shall terminate.

7.8 Removal of Legends. In connection with any sale or disposition of the Securities by an Investor pursuant to Rule 144 or pursuant to any other exemption under the 1933 Act such that the purchaser acquires freely tradable shares and upon compliance by the Investor with the requirements of this Agreement, the Company shall or, in the case of Common Stock, shall cause the transfer agent for the Common Stock (the "Transfer Agent") to issue replacement certificates representing the Securities sold or disposed of without restrictive legends. Upon the earlier of (i) registration for resale pursuant to the Registration Rights Agreement or (ii) the Shares becoming freely tradable by a non-affiliate pursuant to Rule 144 the Company shall (A) deliver to the Transfer Agent irrevocable instructions that the Transfer Agent shall reissue a certificate representing shares of Common Stock without legends upon receipt by such Transfer Agent of the legended certificates for such shares, together with either (1) a customary representation by the Investor that Rule 144 applies to the shares of Common Stock represented thereby or (2) a statement by the Investor that such Investor has sold the shares of Common Stock represented thereby in accordance with the Plan of Distribution contained in the Registration Statement, and (B) cause its counsel to deliver to the Transfer Agent one or more blanket opinions to the effect that the removal of such legends in such circumstances may be effected under the 1933 Act. From and after the earlier of such dates, upon an Investor's written request, the Company shall promptly cause certificates evidencing the Investor's Securities to be replaced with certificates which do not bear such restrictive legends, and Conversion Shares subsequently issued upon due conversion of the Shares and Warrant Shares subsequently issued upon due exercise of the Warrants shall not bear such restrictive legends provided the provisions of either clause (i) or clause (ii) above, as applicable, are satisfied with respect thereto. When the Company is required to cause an unlegended certificate to replace a previously issued legended certificate, if: (1) the unlegended certificate is not delivered to an Investor within three (3) Business Days of submission by that Investor of a legended certificate and supporting documentation to the Transfer Agent as provided above and (2) prior to the time such unlegended certificate is received by the Investor, the Investor, or any third party on behalf of such Investor or for the Investor's account, purchases (in an open market transaction or otherwise) shares of Common Stock to deliver in satisfaction of a sale by the Investor of shares represented by such certificate (a "Buy-In"), then the Company shall pay in cash to the Investor (for costs incurred either directly by such Investor or on behalf of a third party) the amount by which the total purchase price paid for Common Stock as a result of the Buy-In (including brokerage commissions, if any) exceeds the proceeds received by such Investor as a result of the sale to which such Buy-In relates. The Investor shall provide the Company written notice indicating the amounts payable to the Investor in respect of the Buy-In.

7.9 Reverse Stock Split. Within 365 days of Closing, the Company shall effect a reverse split of its Common Stock at a ratio, determined in good faith by the Board based on market conditions and other factors deemed relevant by the Board, sufficient to assure compliance with the minimum bid requirements for listing of the Common Stock on the NASDAQ Capital Market.

7.10 Subsequent Equity Sales.

(a) From the date hereof until ninety (90) days after the Closing Date, without the consent of the Required Investors, neither the Company nor any Subsidiary shall issue shares of Common Stock or Common Stock Equivalents. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the provisions of this Section 7.10(a) shall not apply to (i) the issuance of Common Stock or Common Stock Equivalents upon the conversion or exercise of any securities of the Company or a Subsidiary outstanding immediately prior to the date hereof, provided such securities are not amended after the Subscription Date to increase the number of shares of Common Stock issuable thereunder or to lower the exercise or conversion price thereof, (ii) the issuance of any Common Stock or Common Stock Equivalents pursuant to any Company equity incentive plan approved by the Company's stockholders and in place as of the date hereof, (iii) the issuance of the Exchange Shares in accordance with the Note Exchange and (iv) the Securities.

(b) From the date hereof until the earlier of (i) three years from the Closing Date or (ii) such time as no Investor holds any of the Securities, the Company shall be prohibited from effecting or entering into an agreement to effect any “Variable Rate Transaction”. The term “Variable Rate Transaction” shall mean a transaction in which the Company issues or sells (i) any debt or equity securities that are convertible into, exchangeable or exercisable for, or include the right to receive additional shares of Common Stock either (A) at a conversion, exercise or exchange rate or other price that is based upon and/or varies with the trading prices of or quotations for the shares of Common Stock at any time after the initial issuance of such debt or equity securities, or (B) with a conversion, exercise or exchange price that is subject to being reset at some future date after the initial issuance of such debt or equity security or upon the occurrence of specified or contingent events directly or indirectly related to the business of the Company or the market for the Common Stock or (ii) enters into any agreement, including, but not limited to, an equity line of credit, whereby the Company may sell securities at a future determined price. For the avoidance of doubt, the issuance of a security which is subject to customary anti-dilution protections, including where the conversion, exercise or exchange price is subject to adjustment as a result of stock splits, reverse stock splits and other similar recapitalization or reclassification events, shall not be deemed to be a “Variable Rate Transaction.”

(c) The Company shall not, and shall use its commercially reasonable efforts to ensure that no Affiliate of the Company shall, sell, offer for sale or solicit offers to buy or otherwise negotiate in respect of any security (as defined in Section 2 of the 1933 Act) that will be integrated with the offer or sale of the Securities in a manner that would require the registration under the 1933 Act of the sale of the Securities to the Investors, or that will be integrated with the offer or sale of the Securities for purposes of the rules and regulations of any trading market such that it would require stockholder approval prior to the closing of such other transaction unless stockholder approval is obtained before the closing of such subsequent transaction.

(d) The Company shall not, from the date hereof until ninety (90) days after the Effective Date, prepare and file with the SEC a registration statement relating to an offering for its own account or the account of others under the 1933 Act of any of its equity securities, other than (i) any registration statement or post-effective amendment to a registration statement (or supplement thereto) relating to the Company’s employee benefit plans registered on Form S-8 or, in connection with an acquisition, on Form S-4 and (ii) any post-effective amendment to a registration statement in effect on the date hereof.

7.11 Equal Treatment of Investors. No consideration shall be offered or paid to any Person to amend or consent to a waiver or modification of any provision of any of the Transaction Documents unless the same consideration is also offered to all of the parties to the Transaction Documents. For clarification purposes, this provision constitutes a separate right granted to each Investor by the Company and negotiated separately by each Investor, and is intended for the Company to treat the Investors as a class and shall not in any way be construed as the Investors acting in concert or as a group with respect to the purchase, disposition or voting of Securities or otherwise.

8. Survival and Indemnification.

8.1 Survival. The representations, warranties, covenants and agreements contained in this Agreement shall survive the Closing of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement.

8.2 Indemnification. The Company agrees to indemnify and hold harmless each Investor and its Affiliates and their respective directors, officers, trustees, members, managers, employees and agents, and their respective successors and assigns, from and against any and all losses, claims, damages, liabilities and expenses (including without limitation reasonable attorney fees and disbursements and other expenses incurred in connection with investigating, preparing or defending any action, claim or proceeding, pending or threatened and the costs of enforcement thereof) (collectively, "Losses") to which such Person may become subject as a result of any breach of representation, warranty, covenant or agreement made by or to be performed on the part of the Company under the Transaction Documents, and will reimburse any such Person for all such amounts as they are incurred by such Person.

8.3 Conduct of Indemnification Proceedings. Any person entitled to indemnification hereunder shall (i) give prompt notice to the indemnifying party of any claim with respect to which it seeks indemnification and (ii) permit such indemnifying party to assume the defense of such claim with counsel reasonably satisfactory to the indemnified party; provided that any person entitled to indemnification hereunder shall have the right to employ separate counsel and to participate in the defense of such claim, but the fees and expenses of such counsel shall be at the expense of such person unless (a) the indemnifying party has agreed to pay such fees or expenses, or (b) the indemnifying party shall have failed to assume the defense of such claim and employ counsel reasonably satisfactory to such person or (c) in the reasonable judgment of any such person, based upon written advice of its counsel, a conflict of interest exists between such person and the indemnifying party with respect to such claims (in which case, if the person notifies the indemnifying party in writing that such person elects to employ separate counsel at the expense of the indemnifying party, the indemnifying party shall not have the right to assume the defense of such claim on behalf of such person); and provided, further, that the failure of any indemnified party to give notice as provided herein shall not relieve the indemnifying party of its obligations hereunder, except to the extent that such failure to give notice shall materially adversely affect the indemnifying party in the defense of any such claim or litigation. It is understood that the indemnifying party shall not, in connection with any proceeding in the same jurisdiction, be liable for fees or expenses of more than one separate firm of attorneys at any time for all such indemnified parties. No indemnifying party will, except with the consent of the indemnified party, consent to entry of any judgment or enter into any settlement that does not include as an unconditional term thereof the giving by the claimant or plaintiff to such indemnified party of a release from all liability in respect of such claim or litigation.

9. Miscellaneous.

9.1 Successors and Assigns. This Agreement may not be assigned by a party hereto without the prior written consent of the Company or the Investors, as applicable, provided, however, that an Investor may assign its rights and delegate its duties hereunder in whole or in part to an Affiliate or to a third party acquiring some or all of its Securities in a transaction complying with applicable securities laws without the prior written consent of the Company or the other Investors. The provisions of this Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the respective permitted successors and assigns of the parties. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, in the event that the Company is a party to a merger, consolidation, share exchange or similar business combination transaction in which the Common Stock is converted into the equity securities of another Person, from and after the effective time of such transaction, such Person shall, by virtue of such transaction, be deemed to have assumed the obligations of the Company hereunder, the term "Company" shall be deemed to refer to such Person and the term "Shares" shall be deemed to refer to the securities received by the Investors in connection with such transaction. Nothing in this Agreement, express or implied, is intended to confer upon any party other than the parties hereto or their respective successors and assigns any rights, remedies, obligations, or liabilities under or by reason of this Agreement, except as expressly provided in this Agreement.

9.2 Counterparts; Faxes. This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. This Agreement may also be executed via facsimile, which shall be deemed an original.

9.3 Titles and Subtitles. The titles and subtitles used in this Agreement are used for convenience only and are not to be considered in construing or interpreting this Agreement.

9.4 Notices. Unless otherwise provided, any notice required or permitted under this Agreement shall be given in writing and shall be deemed effectively given as hereinafter described (i) if given by personal delivery, then such notice shall be deemed given upon such delivery, (ii) if given by telex or telecopier, then such notice shall be deemed given upon receipt of confirmation of complete transmittal, (iii) if given by mail, then such notice shall be deemed given upon the earlier of (A) receipt of such notice by the recipient or (B) three days after such notice is deposited in first class mail, postage prepaid, and (iv) if given by an internationally recognized overnight air courier, then such notice shall be deemed given one Business Day after delivery to such carrier. All notices shall be addressed to the party to be notified at the address as follows, or at such other address as such party may designate by ten days' advance written notice to the other party:

If to the Company:

Visualant, Incorporated
500 Union Street, Suite 420
Seattle, Washington 98101
Attention: Ronald P. Erickson
Fax: (206) 826-0451

With a copy to:

Fifth Avenue Law Group PLLC
701 Fifth Avenue, Suite 2800
Seattle, WA 98104
Attention: James F. Biagi, Jr.
Fax: (206) 587-5710

If to the Investors:

to the addresses set forth on the signature pages hereto.

9.5 Expenses. The parties hereto shall pay their own costs and expenses in connection herewith, except that the Company shall pay the reasonable fees and expenses of Lowenstein Sandler LLP not to exceed \$40,000, regardless of whether the transactions contemplated hereby are consummated; it being understood that Lowenstein Sandler LLP has only rendered legal advice to the SSF Investors participating in this transaction and not to the Company or any other Investor in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, and that each of the Company and each Investor has relied for such matters on the advice of its own respective counsel. Such expenses shall be paid upon demand. The Company shall reimburse the Investors upon demand for all reasonable out-of-pocket expenses incurred by the Investors, including without limitation reimbursement of attorneys' fees and disbursements, in connection with any amendment, modification or waiver of this Agreement or the other Transaction Documents. In the event that legal proceedings are commenced by any party to this Agreement against another party to this Agreement in connection with this Agreement or the other Transaction Documents, the party or parties which do not prevail in such proceedings shall severally, but not jointly, pay their pro rata share of the reasonable attorneys' fees and other reasonable out-of-pocket costs and expenses incurred by the prevailing party in such proceedings.

9.6 Amendments and Waivers. Any term of this Agreement may be amended and the observance of any term of this Agreement may be waived (either generally or in a particular instance and either retroactively or prospectively), only with the written consent of the Company and the Required Investors. Any amendment or waiver effected in accordance with this paragraph shall be binding upon each holder of any Securities purchased under this Agreement at the time outstanding, each future holder of all such Securities, and the Company.

9.7 Publicity. Except as set forth below, no public release or announcement concerning the transactions contemplated hereby shall be issued by the Company or the Investors without the prior consent of the Company (in the case of a release or announcement by the Investors) or the Investors (in the case of a release or announcement by the Company) (which consents shall not be unreasonably withheld), except as such release or announcement may be required by law or the applicable rules or regulations of any securities exchange or securities market, in which case the Company or the Investors, as the case may be, shall allow the Investors or the Company, as applicable, to the extent reasonably practicable in the circumstances, reasonable time to comment on such release or announcement in advance of such issuance. By 8:30 a.m. (New York City time) on the trading day immediately following the Closing Date, the Company shall issue a press release disclosing the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement. No later than the fourth trading day following the Closing Date, the Company will file a Current Report on Form 8-K attaching the press release described in the foregoing sentence as well as copies of the Transaction Documents. In addition, the Company will make such other filings and notices in the manner and time required by the SEC or OTCQB.

9.8 Severability. Any provision of this Agreement that is prohibited or unenforceable in any jurisdiction shall, as to such jurisdiction, be ineffective to the extent of such prohibition or unenforceability without invalidating the remaining provisions hereof but shall be interpreted as if it were written so as to be enforceable to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law, and any such prohibition or unenforceability in any jurisdiction shall not invalidate or render unenforceable such provision in any other jurisdiction. To the extent permitted by applicable law, the parties hereby waive any provision of law which renders any provision hereof prohibited or unenforceable in any respect.

9.9 Entire Agreement. This Agreement, including the Exhibits and the Disclosure Schedules, and the other Transaction Documents constitute the entire agreement among the parties hereof with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof and supersede all prior agreements and understandings, both oral and written, between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof.

9.10 Further Assurances. The parties shall execute and deliver all such further instruments and documents and take all such other actions as may reasonably be required to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and to evidence the fulfillment of the agreements herein contained.

9.11 Governing Law; Consent to Jurisdiction; Waiver of Jury Trial. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the internal laws of the State of New York without regard to the choice of law principles thereof. Each of the parties hereto irrevocably submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the State of New York located in New York County and the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York for the purpose of any suit, action, proceeding or judgment relating to or arising out of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby. Service of process in connection with any such suit, action or proceeding may be served on each party hereto anywhere in the world by the same methods as are specified for the giving of notices under this Agreement. Each of the parties hereto irrevocably consents to the jurisdiction of any such court in any such suit, action or proceeding and to the laying of venue in such court. Each party hereto irrevocably waives any objection to the laying of venue of any such suit, action or proceeding brought in such courts and irrevocably waives any claim that any such suit, action or proceeding brought in any such court has been brought in an inconvenient forum. **EACH OF THE PARTIES HERETO WAIVES ANY RIGHT TO REQUEST A TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY LITIGATION WITH RESPECT TO THIS AGREEMENT AND REPRESENTS THAT COUNSEL HAS BEEN CONSULTED SPECIFICALLY AS TO THIS WAIVER.**

9.12 Independent Nature of Investors' Obligations and Rights The obligations of each Investor under any Transaction Document are several and not joint with the obligations of any other Investor, and no Investor shall be responsible in any way for the performance of the obligations of any other Investor under any Transaction Document. The decision of each Investor to purchase Securities pursuant to the Transaction Documents has been made by such Investor independently of any other Investor. Nothing contained herein or in any Transaction Document, and no action taken by any Investor pursuant thereto, shall be deemed to constitute the Investors as a partnership, an association, a joint venture or any other kind of entity, or create a presumption that the Investors are in any way acting in concert or as a group with respect to such obligations or the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents. Each Investor acknowledges that no other Investor has acted as agent for such Investor in connection with making its investment hereunder and that no Investor will be acting as agent of such Investor in connection with monitoring its investment in the Securities or enforcing its rights under the Transaction Documents. Each Investor shall be entitled to independently protect and enforce its rights, including, without limitation, the rights arising out of this Agreement or out of the other Transaction Documents, and it shall not be necessary for any other Investor to be joined as an additional party in any proceeding for such purpose. The Company acknowledges that each of the Investors has been provided with the same Transaction Documents for the purpose of closing a transaction with multiple Investors and not because it was required or requested to do so by any Investor.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement or caused their duly authorized officers to execute this Agreement as of the date first above written.

The Company:

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED

By:

Name: Ronald P. Erickson

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

The Investor:

By: _____
Name: _____
Title: _____

Aggregate Purchase Price: \$
Number of Shares:
Number of Series C Warrants:
Number of Series D Warrants:

Address for Notice:

Schedule 1 – Recapitalization Transactions

Mr. Erickson Loans, Advances or Guarantees

Ronald P. Erickson and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest have made advances and loans to the Corporation in the total principal amount of Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars (USD \$800,000) on or before the date hereof (the “Loans”). In addition, Mr. Erickson and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest also have unreimbursed expenses, unpaid salary and/or are owed interest on the outstanding principal amount of the Loans totaling in the aggregate approximately Two Hundred and Sixty Eight Thousand and Ten Dollars (USD \$268,010). Mr. Erickson is converting \$500,000 into the funding, with the balance being repaid at closing.

Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc.

The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on August 25, 2014 for \$103,500. The Note is due May 27, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on September 23, 2014 for \$63,000. The Note is due June 26, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on January 27, 2015. The Note is due October 26, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Notes provided short term working capital while funding closed and is expected to be repaid at closing.

COMPANY'S DISCLOSURE SCHEDULES TO PURCHASE AGREEMENT

This Disclosure Schedule relates to certain matters concerning the disclosures required by and the transactions contemplated by that certain Purchase Agreement dated January 28, 2015 (the "Purchase Agreement"), by and among Visualant, Incorporated (the "Company"), and those Investors who are signatories to the Purchase Agreement. All capitalized terms used herein and not defined herein are used as defined in the Purchase Agreement.

Any disclosure made in any section of this Disclosure Schedule is deemed to be given with respect to the section in which it appears, any other section expressly cross-referenced therein, and to the extent a reasonable person would understand from the face of such disclosure that such disclosure also applies to another section of the Disclosure Schedule, then such other section.

The inclusion of any item in this Disclosure Schedule that relates to a disclosure item at a threshold less than the provisions in a representation or warranty, or that is otherwise disclosed more comprehensively than is necessary to comply with the minimum requirements of a representation and warranty, shall not be deemed to expand the scope of required disclosure.

To the extent that this Disclosure Schedule contains exceptions to the representations and warranties set forth in the Purchase Agreement, their inclusion in this Disclosure Schedule shall not be deemed an admission by the Company that such item is material to the business, affairs, prospects, operations, properties, assets or condition of the Company.

DISCLOSURE SCHEDULE

Schedule 4.1 – Subsidiaries

TransTech Systems, Inc., an Oregon corporation, which is a wholly owned subsidiary of the Company.

DISCLOSURE SCHEDULE

Schedule 4.3 – Capitalization

Visualant, Inc.

- (a) Authorized Capital: 500,000,000 shares of common stock with a par value of \$0.001 per share, and 50,000,000 shares of preferred stock with a par value of \$0.001 per share.
- (b) As of January 28, 2015, there were 169,538,674 shares of common stock issued and outstanding. 300,000 preferred shares have been issued and 7,000,000 Series A Convertible Preferred Shares have been designated.
- (c) The Company has reserved for issuance under its Stock Incentive Plan 14,000,000 shares of common stock, of which options to purchase 13,450,000 shares have been granted or issued.
- (d) The number of shares of capital stock issuable and reserved for issuance pursuant to securities exercisable for, or convertible into or exchangeable for any shares of capital stock of the Company is as follows:
 - (i) A warrant issued to National Security Corp. for 204,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.10 per share;
 - (ii) A warrant issued to Steven Freifeld for 366,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.10 per share;
 - (iii) A warrant issued to Vince Calicchia for 30,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.10 per share;
 - (iv) A warrant issued to Howard Nellor for 250,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.10 per share;
 - (v) A warrant to be issued to Integrated Consulting Services (Howard Nellor) for 250,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.10 per share on August 11, 2013 related to the February 11, 2013 Consulting Agreement;
 - (vi) Series A Warrants related to the June 14, 2013 funding for 52,300,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.15 per share;
 - (vii) Series B Warrants related to the June 14, 2013 funding for 52,300,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.20 per share;
 - (viii) Placement Agent Warrants related to the June 14, 2013 funding for 5,230,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.10 per share;

- (ix) Placement Agent Warrants related to the June 14, 2013 funding for 5,230,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.15 per share, which are earned on the pro-rata exercise of the Series A and Series B Warrants;
- (x) A warrant issued to Jason Eichenholz for 500,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.20 per share;
- (xi) A warrant issued to Liolios Group, Inc. for 200,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.20 per share and additional shares maybe earned based on achieving certain milestones;
- (xii) A warrant issued to Genesis Select for 200,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.20 per share;
- (xiii) A warrant issued to Invention Development Management Company LLC for 14,575,286 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.20 per share, which has re-pricing similar to the Warrant A and B;
- (xiv) A warrant issued to Thomas Furness for 1,000,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.20 per share;
- (xv) A warrant issued to Delacor LLC for 200,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.20 per share;
- (xvi) A warrant issued to Designsense Ltd for 500,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.20 per share;
- (xvii) A warrant issued to Alan Tompkins for 250,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.20 per share;
- (xviii) A warrant issued to Dynasty Wealth, Inc. for 200,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.20 per share, and additional shares maybe earned based on achieving certain performance targets. None of the performance targets have been achieved;
- (xviv) A warrant issued to Millennium Trust Company, LLC FBO Jeffery Silver for 3,000,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.20 per share; and
- (xvv) A warrant issued to Millennium Trust Company, LLC FBO Jeffery Silver for 3,000,000 shares of common stock with an exercise price of \$0.20 per share.
- (e) The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on August 25, 2014 for \$103,500. The Note is due May 27, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on September 23, 2014 for \$63,000. The Note is due June 26, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on January 27, 2015. The Note is due October 26, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Notes provided short term working capital while funding closed and is expected to be repaid at closing.
- (f) The Company expects to obtain necessary Irrevocable Waivers of Series A and B Warrants from the majority of the Series A and B Warrant holders and from Invention Development Management Company LLC prior to the closing of funding. The Company expects to issue shares of common stock and cancel Series A and B Warrants as part of the listing on The NASDAQ Capital Market.

DISCLOSURE SCHEDULE

4.8 – No Material Adverse Change

- (i) Ronald P. Erickson and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest have made advances and loans to the Corporation in the total principal amount of Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars (USD \$800,000) on or before the date hereof (the “Loans”). In addition, Mr. Erickson and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest also have unreimbursed expenses, unpaid salary and/or are owed interest on the outstanding principal amount of the Loans totaling in the aggregate approximately Two Hundred and Sixty Eight Thousand and Ten Dollars (USD \$268,010). Mr. Erickson is converting \$500,000 into the funding, with the balance being repaid at closing.
- (ii) The Company’s Certificates of Designations, Preferences and Rights of Series A Convertible Preferred Stock is expected to be filed with the Nevada Secretary of State on January 31, 2015.
- (iii) The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on August 25, 2014 for \$103,500. The Note is due May 27, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on September 23, 2014 for \$63,000. The Note is due June 26, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Company entered into a Convertible Note Payable with KBM Worldwide, Inc. on January 27, 2015. The Note is due October 26, 2015 and provides for interest at 8%. The Notes provided short term working capital while funding closed and is expected to be repaid at closing.

DISCLOSURE SCHEDULE

Schedule 4.11 – Tax Sharing Agreements

None.

DISCLOSURE SCHEDULE

4.12 – Title to Assets

Capital Source Business Finance Group Secured Credit Facility

The Company finances its TransTech operations from operations and a Secured Credit Facility with Capital Source Business Finance Group. On December 9, 2008 TransTech entered into a \$1,000,000 secured credit facility with Capital Source to fund its operations. On December 12, 2014, the secured credit facility was renewed for an additional six months, with a floor for prime interest of 4.5% (currently 4.5%) plus 2.5%. The eligible borrowing is based on 80% of eligible trade accounts receivable, not to exceed \$1,000,000. The secured credit facility is collateralized by the assets of TransTech, with a guarantee by Visualant, including all assets of Visualant. Availability under this Secured Credit ranges from \$0 to \$175,000 (\$72,481 as of December 31, 2014) on a daily basis. The remaining balance on the accounts receivable line (\$544,524) as of December 31, 2014 must be repaid by the time the secured credit facility expires on June 12, 2015, or the Company renews by automatic extension for the next successive six month term.

DISCLOSURE SCHEDULE

4.14 – Labor Matters

None other than as disclosed in the Company's SEC Filings.

DISCLOSURE SCHEDULE

4.15 – Intellectual Property.

The Disclosure below does not affect 4.15, but is provided as additional information.

On November 11, 2013, the Company entered into a Services and License Agreement with Invention Development Management Company, L.L.C. (“IDMC”), a Delaware limited liability company. IDMC is affiliated with Intellectual Ventures, which collaborates with inventors, partners with pioneering companies and invests both expertise and capital in the process of invention. On November 19, 2014, the Company entered into an Amendment to Services and License Agreement with IDMC. This Amendment exclusively licenses ten filed patents to the Company.

The Agreement required IDMC to identify and engage investors to develop new applications of the Company’s ChromaID™ development kits, present the developments to the Company for approval, and file at least ten patent applications to protect the developments. IDMC is responsible for the development and patent costs. The Company provided the development kits to IDMC at no cost and is providing ongoing technical support. In addition, to provide time for this accelerated expansion of its intellectual property the Company delayed the selling of the ChromaID development kits for 140 days except for certain select accounts. The Company has continued its business development efforts during this period and has worked with IDMC and their global business development services to secure potential customers and licensees for its technology. The Company shipped twenty ChromaID Lab Kits to inventors in the IDMC network during December 2013 and January 2014.

The Company received a worldwide, nontransferable, exclusive license to the licensed IP developed under this IDMC Agreement dated November 11, 2013, during the term of the Agreement, and solely within the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use, to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer for sale products and services; (b) make improvements; and (c) grant sublicenses of any and all of the foregoing rights (including the right to grant further sublicenses).

The Company received a nonexclusive and nontransferrable option to acquire a worldwide, nontransferrable, nonexclusive license to the useful IP held by IDMC within the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer to sell products and services and (b) grant sublicenses to any and all of the foregoing rights. The option to acquire this license may be exercised for up to two years from the effective date of the Agreement.

IDMC is providing global business development services to the Company, including present Visualant IP and any licensed IP, if applicable, to potential customers, licensees, and distributors in markets or geographies not being pursued by Visualant. Also, IDMC has introduced Visualant to potential customers, licensees, or distributors for the purpose of identifying and closing a license, sale, or distribution deal or other monetization event.

Visualant granted to IDMC a nonexclusive, worldwide, fully paid up, nontransferable, sublicenseable, perpetual license to the Visualant IP, solely outside the identification, authentication and diagnostics field of use to (a) make, have made, use, import, sell and offer for sale products and services and (b) grant sublicenses of any and all of the foregoing rights (including the right to grant further sublicenses).

The Company granted to IDMC a nonexclusive, worldwide, fully paid up, royalty-free, nontransferable, nonsublicenseable, perpetual license to access and use Visualant Technology solely for the purpose of marketing the aforementioned sublicenses to the Visualant IP to third parties outside the designated fields of use.

The Company issued a warrant to purchase 14,575,286 shares of common stock as consideration for the exclusive IP license and application development services to IDMC signed on November 11, 2013. The warrant price of \$0.20 per share expires November 10, 2018 and the per share price is subject to adjustment.

The Company has agreed to pay IDMC a percentage of license revenue for the global development business services and a percentage of revenue received from any IDMC introduced company. The Company has also agreed to pay IDMC a royalty when Visualant receives royalty product revenue from an IDMC introduced company.

IDMC has agreed to pay Visualant a license fee for the nonexclusive license of the Visualant IP.

The term of the exclusive IP license and the nonexclusive IP license commences on the effective date of November 11, 2013, and terminates when all claims of the patents expire or are held in valid or unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction from which no appeal can be taken.

The term of the Agreement commences on the effective date until either party terminates the Agreement at any time following the fifth anniversary of the effective date by providing at least ninety days' prior written notice to the other party.

DISCLOSURE SCHEDULE

4.17 – Litigation

None.

DISCLOSURE SCHEDULE

4.18 – Financial Statements

None other than as set forth in the financial statements of the Company included in its SEC Filings.

DISCLOSURE SCHEDULE

4.21 – Brokers and Finders

The following brokers and finders are entitled to receive fees as a result of the transactions contemplated by the Transaction Documents:

1. Retainer. No retainer shall be payable.

2. Placement Agent's Fee. The Company shall pay to Benchmark a cash placement fee (the "Placement Agent's Fee") equal to 10.0% of the aggregate purchase price paid by each purchaser of Securities that are placed in the Offering.

3. Warrants. As additional compensation for the Services, the Company shall issue to Benchmark or its designees at the Closing, warrants (the "Benchmark Warrants") to purchase that number of shares of common stock of the Company ("Shares") equal to 10.0% of the aggregate number of Shares placed in the Offering, plus any Shares underlying any convertible Securities placed in the Offering to such purchasers. The Benchmark Warrants shall have the same terms, including exercise price and exercise terms, as the warrants issued to investors ("Investors") in the Offering. If no warrants are issued to Investors, the Benchmark Warrants shall have an exercise price of \$0.20 per share, an exercise period of three years. The shares of common stock underlying the Benchmark Warrants shall be registrable in any registration statement filed by the Company registering for resale any equity securities sold in the Offering.

4. Warrant Exercise. Benchmark will be entitled to a warrant exercise fee equal to (i) a cash fee of 5% for the gross proceeds received by the Company for the exercise of any warrants issued to Purchasers in transactions for which Benchmark acted as placement agent including the Warrants issued to the Purchasers. Such warrants will have a term of five years and have an exercise price of \$0.20 per share.

5. Expenses. In addition to any fees payable to Benchmark hereunder, the Company hereby agrees to reimburse Benchmark for all reasonable travel and other out-of-pocket expenses incurred in connection with Benchmark's engagement, including the reasonable fees and expenses of Benchmark's counsel. Such reimbursement shall be limited to \$10,000 without prior written approval by the Company and shall be paid at the Closing from the gross proceeds of the Securities sold (provided, however, that such expense cap in no way limits or impairs the indemnification and contribution provisions of this Agreement).

DISCLOSURE SCHEDULE

4.28 – Transactions with Affiliates

Ronald P. Erickson and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest have made advances and loans to the Corporation in the total principal amount of Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars (USD \$800,000) on or before the date hereof (the “Loans”). In addition, Mr. Erickson and/or entities in which Mr. Erickson has a beneficial interest also have unreimbursed expenses, unpaid salary and/or are owed interest on the outstanding principal amount of the Loans totaling in the aggregate approximately Two Hundred and Sixty Eight Thousand and Ten Dollars (USD \$268,010). Mr. Erickson is converting \$500,000 into the funding, with the balance being repaid at closing.

THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED HEREBY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED WITH THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OR THE SECURITIES COMMISSION OF ANY STATE IN RELIANCE UPON AN EXEMPTION FROM REGISTRATION UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED, AND, ACCORDINGLY, MAY NOT BE TRANSFERRED UNLESS (I) SUCH SECURITIES HAVE BEEN REGISTERED FOR SALE PURSUANT TO THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED, (II) SUCH SECURITIES MAY BE SOLD PURSUANT TO RULE 144, OR (III) THE COMPANY HAS RECEIVED AN OPINION OF COUNSEL REASONABLY SATISFACTORY TO IT THAT SUCH TRANSFER MAY LAWFULLY BE MADE WITHOUT REGISTRATION UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS OF SECTION 1 OF THIS WARRANT, ALL OR A PORTION OF THIS WARRANT MAY HAVE BEEN EXERCISED, AND THEREFORE THE ACTUAL NUMBER OF WARRANT SHARES REPRESENTED BY THIS WARRANT MAY BE LESS THAN THE AMOUNT SET FORTH ON THE FACE HEREOF.

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED

FORM OF Series C Warrant To Purchase Common Stock

Warrant No.: _____
 Number of Shares of Common Stock: _____
 Date of Issuance: _____, 2015 (“**Issuance Date**”)

Visualant, Incorporated, a Nevada corporation (the “**Company**”), hereby certifies that, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, _____, the registered holder hereof or its permitted assigns (the “**Holder**”), is entitled, subject to the terms set forth below, to purchase from the Company, at the Exercise Price (as defined below) then in effect, upon surrender of this Warrant to Purchase Common Stock (including any Warrants to Purchase Common Stock issued in exchange, transfer or replacement hereof, the “**Warrant**”), at any time or times on or after Exercisability Date (as defined below), but not after 11:59 p.m., New York time, on the Expiration Date (as defined below), _____, 2020 (_____) fully paid nonassessable shares of Common Stock (as defined below) (the “**Warrant Shares**”). Except as otherwise defined herein, capitalized terms in this Warrant shall have the meanings set forth in Section 16. This Warrant is one of the warrants to purchase Common Stock (this “**Warrant**”) issued pursuant to (i) the Purchase Agreement (the “**Purchase Agreement**”), dated as of _____, 2015 (the “**Subscription Date**”), by and among the Company and the investors party thereto. This Warrant is one of a series of warrants containing substantially identical terms and conditions issued pursuant to Purchase Agreement (collectively, the “**Warrants**”).

1. EXERCISE OF WARRANT.

(a) Mechanics of Exercise. Subject to the terms and conditions hereof, this Warrant may be exercised by the Holder on any day on or after the Exercisability Date, in whole or in part (but not as to fractional shares), by (i) delivery of a written notice, in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A (the “**Exercise Notice**”), of the Holder’s election to exercise this Warrant and (ii) if both (A) the Holder is not electing a Cashless Exercise (as defined below) pursuant to Section 1(d) of this Warrant and (B) a registration statement registering the issuance of the Warrant Shares under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “**Securities Act**”), is effective and available for the issuance of the Warrant Shares, or an exemption from registration under the Securities Act is available for the issuance of the Warrant Shares, payment to the Company of an amount equal to the applicable Exercise Price multiplied by the number of Warrant Shares as to which this Warrant is being exercised (the “**Aggregate Exercise Price**”) in cash or wire transfer of immediately available funds (a “**Cash Exercise**”) (the items under (i) and (ii) above, the “**Exercise Delivery Documents**”). The Holder shall not be required to surrender this Warrant in order to effect an exercise hereunder; provided, however, that in the event that this Warrant is exercised in full or for the remaining unexercised portion hereof, the Holder shall deliver this Warrant to the Company for cancellation within a reasonable time after such exercise. On or before the first Trading Day following the date on which the Company has received the Exercise Delivery Documents (the date upon which the Company has received all of the Exercise Delivery Documents, the “**Exercise Date**”), the Company shall transmit by facsimile or e-mail transmission an acknowledgment of confirmation of receipt of the Exercise Delivery Documents to the Holder and the Company’s transfer agent for the Common Stock (the “**Transfer Agent**”). The Company shall deliver any objection to the Exercise Delivery Documents on or before the second Trading Day following the date on which the Company has received all of the Exercise Delivery Documents. On or before the second Trading Day following the date on which the Company has received all of the Exercise Delivery Documents (the “**Share Delivery Date**”), the Company shall, (X) provided that the Transfer Agent is participating in The Depository Trust Company (“**DTC**”) Fast Automated Securities Transfer Program (the “**FAST Program**”) and so long as the certificates therefor are not required to bear a legend regarding restriction on transferability, upon the request of the Holder, credit such aggregate number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder is entitled pursuant to such exercise to the Holder’s or its designee’s balance account with DTC through its Deposit Withdrawal Agent Commission system, or (Y), if the Transfer Agent is not participating in the FAST Program or if the certificates are required to bear a legend regarding restriction on transferability, issue and dispatch by overnight courier to the address as specified in the Exercise Notice, a certificate, registered in the Company’s share register in the name of the Holder or its designee, for the number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder is entitled pursuant to such exercise. Upon delivery of the Exercise Delivery Documents, the Holder shall be deemed for all corporate purposes to have become the holder of record of the Warrant Shares with respect to which this Warrant has been exercised, irrespective of the date such Warrant Shares are credited to the Holder’s DTC account or the date of delivery of the certificates evidencing such Warrant Shares, as the case may be. If this Warrant is submitted in connection with any exercise pursuant to this Section 1(a) and the number of Warrant Shares represented by this Warrant submitted for exercise is greater than the number of Warrant Shares being acquired upon an exercise, then the Company shall as soon as practicable and in no event later than three Trading Days after any such submission and at its own expense, issue a new Warrant (in accordance with Section 7(e)) representing the right to purchase the number of Warrant Shares purchasable immediately prior to such exercise under this Warrant, less the number of Warrant Shares with respect to which this Warrant has been and/or is exercised. The Company shall pay any and all taxes and other expenses of the Company (including overnight delivery charges) that may be payable with respect to the issuance and delivery of Warrant Shares upon exercise of this Warrant; provided, however, that the Company shall not be required to pay any tax which may be payable in respect of any transfer involved in the registration of any certificates for Warrant Shares or Warrants in a name other than that of the Holder or an affiliate thereof. The Holder shall be responsible for all other tax liability that may arise as a result of holding or transferring this Warrant or receiving Warrant Shares upon exercise hereof.

(b) Exercise Price. For purposes of this Warrant, “**Exercise Price**” means \$0.20, subject to adjustment as provided herein.

(c) Company’s Failure to Timely Deliver Securities. If the Company shall fail for any reason or for no reason to issue to the Holder within three (3) Business Days of the Exercise Date a certificate for the number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder is entitled and register such shares of Common Stock on the Company’s share register or to credit the Holder’s balance account with DTC for such number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder is entitled upon the Holder’s exercise of this Warrant, and if on or after such Trading Day the Holder purchases, or another Person purchases on the Holder’s behalf or for the Holder’s account (in an open market transaction or otherwise) shares of Common Stock to deliver in satisfaction of a sale by the Holder of shares of Common Stock issuable upon such exercise that the Holder anticipated receiving from the Company (a “**Buy-In**”), then the Company shall, within three (3) Business Days after the Holder’s written request and in the Holder’s discretion, either (i) pay cash to the Holder in an amount equal to the Holder’s total purchase price (including brokerage commissions, if any) for the shares of Common Stock so purchased (the “**Buy-In Price**”), at which point the Company’s obligation to deliver such certificate (and to issue such Warrant Shares) shall terminate, or (ii) promptly honor its obligation to deliver to the Holder a certificate or certificates representing such Warrant Shares and pay cash to the Holder in an amount equal to the excess (if any) of the Buy-In Price over the product of (A) such number of shares of Common Stock, times (B) the Closing Bid Price on the date of exercise.

(d) Cashless Exercise. Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, if at any time after the six-month anniversary of the Issuance Date a registration statement covering the Warrant Shares that are the subject of the Exercise Notice (the “**Unavailable Warrant Shares**”), or an exemption from registration, is not available for the resale of such Unavailable Warrant Shares, the Holder may, in its sole discretion, exercise this Warrant in whole or in part and, in lieu of making the cash payment otherwise contemplated to be made to the Company upon such exercise in payment of the Aggregate Exercise Price, elect instead to receive upon such exercise the “**Net Number**” of shares of Common Stock determined according to the following formula (a “**Cashless Exercise**”):

$$\text{Net Number} = (A \times B) - (A \times C)$$

B

For purposes of the foregoing formula:

A= the total number of shares with respect to which this Warrant is then being exercised.

B= the arithmetic average of the Closing Sale Prices of the shares of Common Stock for the five (5) consecutive Trading Days ending on the date immediately preceding the date of the Exercise Notice.

C= the Exercise Price then in effect for the applicable Warrant Shares at the time of such exercise.

(e) Rule 144. For purposes of Rule 144(d) promulgated under the Securities Act, as in effect on the date hereof, assuming the Holder is not an affiliate of the Company, it is intended that the Warrant Shares issued in a Cashless Exercise shall be deemed to have been acquired by the Holder, and the holding period for the Warrant Shares shall be deemed to have commenced, on the date this Warrant was originally issued pursuant to the Purchase Agreement.

(f) Disputes. In the case of a dispute as to the determination of the Exercise Price or the arithmetic calculation of the Warrant Shares, the Company shall promptly issue to the Holder the number of Warrant Shares that are not disputed.

(g) Beneficial Ownership. The Company shall not effect the exercise of this Warrant, and the Holder shall not have the right to exercise this Warrant, to the extent that after giving effect to such exercise, such Person (together with such Person's affiliates) would beneficially own in excess of 4.99% (the "**Maximum Percentage**") of the shares of Common Stock outstanding immediately after giving effect to such exercise. For purposes of the foregoing sentence, the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by such Person and its affiliates shall include the number of shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of this Warrant with respect to which the determination of such sentence is being made, but shall exclude shares of Common Stock which would be issuable upon (i) exercise of the remaining, unexercised portion of this Warrant beneficially owned by such Person and its affiliates and (ii) exercise or conversion of the unexercised or unconverted portion of any other securities of the Company beneficially owned by such Person and its affiliates (including, without limitation, any convertible notes or convertible preferred stock or warrants) subject to a limitation on conversion or exercise analogous to the limitation contained herein. Except as set forth in the preceding sentence, for purposes of this paragraph, beneficial ownership shall be calculated in accordance with Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "**Exchange Act**"). For purposes of this Warrant, in determining the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock, the Holder may rely on the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock as reflected in the most recent of (1) the Company's most recent Form 10-K, Form 10-Q, Current Report on Form 8-K or other public filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission, as the case may be, (2) a more recent public announcement by the Company or (3) any other notice by the Company or the Transfer Agent setting forth the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding. For any reason at any time, upon the written or oral request of the Holder, the Company shall within two (2) Business Days confirm to the Holder the number of shares of Common Stock then outstanding. In any case, the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock shall be determined after giving effect to the conversion or exercise of securities of the Company, including this Warrant, by the Holder and its affiliates since the date as of which such number of outstanding shares of Common Stock was reported. By written notice to the Company, the Holder may from time to time increase or decrease the Maximum Percentage to any other percentage not in excess of 9.99% specified in such notice; provided that (i) any such increase will not be effective until the sixty-first (61st) day after such notice is delivered to the Company, and (ii) any such increase or decrease will apply only to the Holder. The provisions of this paragraph shall be construed and implemented in a manner otherwise than in strict conformity with the terms of this Section 1(g) to correct this paragraph (or any portion hereof) which may be defective or inconsistent with the intended beneficial ownership limitation herein contained or to make changes or supplements necessary or desirable to properly give effect to such limitation.

2. ADJUSTMENT OF EXERCISE PRICE AND NUMBER OF WARRANT SHARES. The Exercise Price and the number of Warrant Shares shall be adjusted from time to time as follows:

(a) Adjustment upon Issuance of shares of Common Stock. If and whenever on or after the Subscription Date, the Company issues or sells, or in accordance with this Section 2 is deemed to have issued or sold, any shares of Common Stock (including the issuance or sale of shares of Common Stock owned or held by or for the account of the Company, but excluding shares of Common Stock issued or deemed to have been issued by the Company in connection with any Excluded Securities (as defined below) (the “**Additional Shares**”) for a consideration per share (the “**New Issuance Price**”) less than a price (the “**Applicable Price**”) equal to the Exercise Price in effect immediately prior to such issue or sale or deemed issuance or sale (the foregoing a “**Dilutive Issuance**”), then immediately after such Dilutive Issuance, the Exercise Price then in effect shall be reduced to the lowest price per share at which any share of Common Stock was issued or sold or deemed to be issued or sold.

For purposes of determining the adjusted Exercise Price under this Section 2(a), the following shall be applicable:

(i) Issuance of Options. If the Company in any manner grants any Options and the lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is issuable upon the exercise of any such Option or upon conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Securities issuable upon exercise of any such Option is less than the Applicable Price, then such share of Common Stock shall be deemed to be outstanding and to have been issued and sold by the Company at the time of the granting or sale of such Option for such price per share. For purposes of this Section 2(a)(i), the “lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is issuable upon exercise of such Options or upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Securities issuable upon exercise of any such Option” shall be equal to the sum of the lowest amounts of consideration (if any) received or receivable by the Company with respect to any one share of Common Stock upon the granting or sale of the Option, upon exercise of the Option and upon conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Security issuable upon exercise of such Option less any consideration paid or payable by the Company with respect to such one share of Common Stock upon the granting or sale of such Option, upon exercise of such Option and upon conversion exercise or exchange of any Convertible Security issuable upon exercise of such Option. No further adjustment of the Exercise Price or number of Warrant Shares shall be made upon the actual issuance of such shares of Common Stock or of such Convertible Securities upon the exercise of such Options or upon the actual issuance of such shares of Common Stock upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Securities.

(ii) Issuance of Convertible Securities. If the Company in any manner issues or sells any Convertible Securities and the lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is issuable upon the conversion, exercise or exchange thereof is less than the Applicable Price, then such share of Common Stock shall be deemed to be outstanding and to have been issued and sold by the Company at the time of the issuance or sale of such Convertible Securities for such price per share. For the purposes of this Section 2(a)(ii), the “lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is issuable upon the conversion, exercise or exchange thereof” shall be equal to the sum of the lowest amounts of consideration (if any) received or receivable by the Company with respect to one share of Common Stock upon the issuance or sale of the Convertible Security and upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Security less any consideration paid or payable by the Company with respect to such one share of Common Stock upon the issuance or sale of such Convertible Security and upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Security. No further adjustment of the Exercise Price or number of Warrant Shares shall be made upon the actual issuance of such shares of Common Stock upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Securities, and if any such issue or sale of such Convertible Securities is made upon exercise of any Options for which adjustment of this Warrant has been or is to be made pursuant to other provisions of this Section 2(a), no further adjustment of the Exercise Price or number of Warrant Shares shall be made by reason of such issue or sale.

(iii) Change in Option Price or Rate of Conversion. If the purchase price provided for in any Options, the additional consideration, if any, payable upon the issue, conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Securities, or the rate at which any Convertible Securities are convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for shares of Common Stock increases or decreases at any time, the Exercise Price and the number of Warrant Shares in effect at the time of such increase or decrease shall be adjusted to the Exercise Price and the number of Warrant Shares which would have been in effect at such time had such Options or Convertible Securities provided for such increased or decreased purchase price, additional consideration or increased or decreased conversion rate, as the case may be, at the time initially granted, issued or sold. For purposes of this Section 2(a)(iii), if the terms of any Option or Convertible Security that was outstanding as of the date of issuance of this Warrant are increased or decreased in the manner described in the immediately preceding sentence, then such Option or Convertible Security and the shares of Common Stock deemed issuable upon exercise, conversion or exchange thereof shall be deemed to have been issued as of the date of such increase or decrease. No adjustment pursuant to this Section 2(a) shall be made if such adjustment would result in an increase of the Exercise Price then in effect or a decrease in the number of Warrant Shares.

(iv) Calculation of Consideration Received. In case any Option is issued in connection with the issue or sale of other securities of the Company, together comprising one integrated transaction, (x) the Options will be deemed to have been issued for the Option Value of such Options and (y) the other securities issued or sold in such integrated transaction shall be deemed to have been issued for the difference of (I) the aggregate consideration received by the Company less any consideration paid or payable by the Company pursuant to the terms of such other securities of the Company, less (II) the Option Value. If any shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities are issued or sold or deemed to have been issued or sold for cash, the consideration received therefor will be deemed to be the net amount received by the Company therefor. If any shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities are issued or sold for a consideration other than cash, the amount of such consideration received by the Company will be the fair value of such consideration, except where such consideration consists of securities, in which case the amount of consideration received by the Company will be the Closing Sale Price of such security on the date of receipt. If any shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities are issued to the owners of the non-surviving entity in connection with any merger in which the Company is the surviving entity, the amount of consideration therefor will be deemed to be the fair value of such portion of the net assets and business of the non-surviving entity as is attributable to such shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities, as the case may be. The fair value of any consideration other than cash or securities will be determined jointly by the Company and the Required Holders. If such parties are unable to reach agreement within ten (10) days after the occurrence of an event requiring valuation (the “**Valuation Event**”), the fair value of such consideration will be determined within five (5) Trading Days after the tenth (10th) day following the Valuation Event by an independent, reputable appraiser jointly selected by the Company and the Required Holders. The determination of such appraiser shall be final and binding upon all parties absent manifest error and the fees and expenses of such appraiser shall be borne by the Company.

(v) Record Date. If the Company takes a record of the holders of shares of Common Stock for the purpose of entitling them (A) to receive a dividend or other distribution payable in shares of Common Stock, Options or in Convertible Securities or (B) to subscribe for or purchase shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities, then such record date will be deemed to be the date of the issue or sale of the shares of Common Stock deemed to have been issued or sold upon the declaration of such dividend or the making of such other distribution or the date of the granting of such right of subscription or purchase, as the case may be.

(b) Voluntary Adjustment By Company. The Company may at any time during the term of this Warrant reduce the then current Exercise Price to any amount and for any period of time deemed appropriate by the Board of Directors of the Company.

(c) Adjustment upon Subdivision or Combination of Common Stock. If the Company at any time on or after the Subscription Date subdivides (by any stock split, stock dividend, recapitalization, reorganization, scheme, arrangement or otherwise) one or more classes of its outstanding shares of Common Stock into a greater number of shares, the Exercise Price in effect immediately prior to such subdivision will be proportionately reduced and the number of Warrant Shares will be proportionately increased. If the Company at any time on or after the Subscription Date combines (by any stock split, stock dividend, recapitalization, reorganization, scheme, arrangement or otherwise) one or more classes of its outstanding shares of Common Stock into a smaller number of shares, the Exercise Price in effect immediately prior to such combination will be proportionately increased and the number of Warrant Shares will be proportionately decreased. Any adjustment under this Section 2(c) shall become effective at the close of business on the date the subdivision or combination becomes effective.

(d) Other Events. If any event occurs of the type contemplated by the provisions of this Section 2 but not expressly provided for by such provisions (including, without limitation, the granting of stock appreciation rights or phantom stock rights), then the Company's Board of Directors will make an appropriate adjustment in the Exercise Price and the number of Warrant Shares so as to protect the rights of the Holder; provided that no such adjustment pursuant to this Section 2(d) will increase the Exercise Price or decrease the number of Warrant Shares as otherwise determined pursuant to this Section 2.

3. RIGHTS UPON DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS.

(a) If the Company, at any time while this Warrant is outstanding, shall distribute to all holders of Common Stock (and not to the Holders) evidences of its indebtedness or assets (including cash and cash dividends) or rights or warrants to subscribe for or purchase any security other than the Common Stock (including, without limitation, any distribution of cash, stock or other securities, property or options by way of a dividend, spin off, reclassification, corporate rearrangement, scheme of arrangement or other similar transaction), then in each such case the Exercise Price shall be adjusted by multiplying the Exercise Price in effect immediately prior to the record date fixed for determination of stockholders entitled to receive such distribution by a fraction of which the denominator shall be the Weighted Average Price determined as of the record date mentioned above, and of which the numerator shall be such Weighted Average Price on such record date less the then per share fair market value at such record date of the portion of such assets or evidence of indebtedness so distributed applicable to one outstanding share of the Common Stock as determined by the Board of Directors in good faith. In either case the adjustments shall be described in a statement provided to the Holder of the portion of assets or evidences of indebtedness so distributed or such subscription rights applicable to one share of Common Stock. Such adjustment shall be made whenever any such distribution is made and shall become effective immediately after the record date mentioned above.

(a) Purchase Rights. In addition to any adjustments pursuant to Section 2 above, if at any time the Company grants, issues or sells any Options, Convertible Securities or rights to purchase stock, warrants, securities or other property pro rata to the record holders of any class of Common Stock (the "**Purchase Rights**"), then the Holder will be entitled to acquire, upon the terms applicable to such Purchase Rights, the aggregate Purchase Rights which the Holder could have acquired if the Holder had held the number of shares of Common Stock acquirable upon complete exercise of this Warrant (without regard to any limitations on the exercise of this Warrant) immediately before the date on which a record is taken for the grant, issuance or sale of such Purchase Rights, or, if no such record is taken, the date as of which the record holders of shares of Common Stock are to be determined for the grant, issue or sale of such Purchase Rights.

(b) Fundamental Transactions. The Company shall not enter into or be party to a Fundamental Transaction unless the Successor Entity assumes in writing (unless the Company is the Successor Entity) all of the obligations of the Company under this Warrant and the other Transaction Documents in accordance with the provisions of this Section (4)(b) pursuant to written agreements in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Required Holders and approved by the Required Holders prior to such Fundamental Transaction, including agreements to deliver to each holder of the Warrants in exchange for such Warrants a security of the Successor Entity evidenced by a written instrument substantially similar in form and substance to this Warrant, including, without limitation, an adjusted exercise price equal to the value for the shares of Common Stock reflected by the terms of such Fundamental Transaction, and exercisable for a corresponding number of shares of capital stock equivalent to the shares of Common Stock acquirable and receivable upon exercise of this Warrant (without regard to any limitations on the exercise of this Warrant) prior to such Fundamental Transaction, and reasonably satisfactory to the Required Holders. Upon the occurrence of any Fundamental Transaction, the Successor Entity shall succeed to, and be substituted for (so that from and after the date of such Fundamental Transaction, the provisions of this Warrant referring to the "Company" shall refer instead to the Successor Entity), and may exercise every right and power of the Company and shall assume all of the obligations of the Company under this Warrant with the same effect as if such Successor Entity had been named as the Company herein. Upon consummation of the Fundamental Transaction, the Successor Entity shall deliver to the Holder confirmation that there shall be issued upon exercise of this Warrant at any time after the consummation of the Fundamental Transaction, in lieu of the shares of Common Stock (or other securities, cash, assets or other property) issuable upon the exercise of the Warrant prior to such Fundamental Transaction, such shares of the publicly traded common stock or common shares (or its equivalent) of the Successor Entity (including its Parent Entity) which the Holder would have been entitled to receive upon the happening of such Fundamental Transaction had this Warrant been converted immediately prior to such Fundamental Transaction, as adjusted in accordance with the provisions of this Warrant. In addition to and not in substitution for any other rights hereunder, prior to the consummation of any Fundamental Transaction pursuant to which holders of shares of Common Stock are entitled to receive securities or other assets with respect to or in exchange for shares of Common Stock (a "**Corporate Event**"), the Company shall make appropriate provision to insure that the Holder will thereafter have the right to receive upon an exercise of this Warrant at any time after the consummation of the Corporate Event but prior to the Expiration Date, in lieu of shares of Common Stock (or other securities, cash, assets or other property) purchasable upon the exercise of this Warrant prior to such Corporate Event, such shares of stock, securities, cash, assets or any other property whatsoever (including warrants or other purchase or subscription rights) which the Holder would have been entitled to receive upon the happening of such Corporate Event had this Warrant been exercised immediately prior to such Corporate Event. Provision made pursuant to the preceding sentence shall be in a form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Required Holders. The provisions of this Section 4(b) shall apply similarly and equally to successive Fundamental Transactions and Corporate Events and shall be applied without regard to any limitations on the exercise of this Warrant.

(c) Black Scholes Value. Notwithstanding the foregoing and the provisions of Section 4(b) above, in the event of the consummation of a Fundamental Transaction that is (1) an all-cash transaction, (2) a “Rule 13e-3 transaction” as defined in Rule 13e-3 under the Exchange Act or (3) a Fundamental Transaction involving a person or entity not traded on an Eligible Market, at the request of the Holder delivered at any time commencing on the earliest to occur of (x) the public disclosure of the Fundamental Transaction or (y) the consummation of the Fundamental Transaction, through the date that is ninety (90) days after the public disclosure of the consummation of such Fundamental Transaction by the Company pursuant to a Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the SEC, the Company or the Successor Entity (as the case may be) shall purchase this Warrant from the Holder on the later of (i) the date of consummation of the Fundamental Transaction and (ii) the fifth Trading Day following the date of such request, in each case by paying to the Holder cash in an amount equal to the Black Scholes Value.

(d) Applicability to Successive Transactions. The provisions of this Section shall apply similarly and equally to successive Fundamental Transactions and Corporate Events and shall be applied without regard to any limitations on the exercise of this Warrant.

5. NONCIRCUMVENTION. The Company hereby covenants and agrees that the Company will not, by amendment of its Certificate of Incorporation, Bylaws or through any reorganization, transfer of assets, consolidation, merger, scheme of arrangement, dissolution, issue or sale of securities, or any other voluntary action, avoid or seek to avoid the observance or performance of any of the terms of this Warrant, and will at all times in good faith comply with all the provisions of this Warrant and take all actions consistent with effectuating the purposes of this Warrant. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Company (i) shall not increase the par value of any shares of Common Stock receivable upon the exercise of this Warrant above the Exercise Price then in effect, (ii) shall take all such actions as may be necessary or appropriate in order that the Company may validly and legally issue fully paid and nonassessable shares of Common Stock upon the exercise of this Warrant, and (iii) shall, so long as this Warrant is outstanding, take all action necessary to reserve and keep available out of its authorized and unissued shares of Common Stock, solely for the purpose of effecting the exercise of this Warrant, 100% of the number of shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of this Warrant then outstanding (without regard to any limitations on exercise).

6. WARRANT HOLDER NOT DEEMED A STOCKHOLDER. Except as otherwise specifically provided herein, the Holder, solely in such Person’s capacity as a holder of this Warrant, shall not be entitled to vote or receive dividends or be deemed the holder of share capital of the Company for any purpose, nor shall anything contained in this Warrant be construed to confer upon the Holder, solely in such Person’s capacity as the Holder of this Warrant, any of the rights of a stockholder of the Company or any right to vote, give or withhold consent to any corporate action (whether any reorganization, issue of stock, reclassification of stock, consolidation, merger, conveyance or otherwise), receive notice of meetings, receive dividends or subscription rights, or otherwise, prior to the issuance to the Holder of the Warrant Shares which such Person is then entitled to receive upon the due exercise of this Warrant. In addition, nothing contained in this Warrant shall be construed as imposing any liabilities on the Holder to purchase any securities (upon exercise of this Warrant or otherwise) or as a stockholder of the Company, whether such liabilities are asserted by the Company or by creditors of the Company.

7. REISSUANCE OF WARRANTS.

(a) Transfer of Warrant. If this Warrant is to be transferred, the Holder shall surrender this Warrant to the Company and deliver the completed and executed Assignment Form, in the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, whereupon the Company will forthwith issue and deliver upon the order of the Holder a new Warrant (in accordance with Section 7(d)), registered as the Holder may request, representing the right to purchase the number of Warrant Shares being transferred by the Holder and, if less than the total number of Warrant Shares then underlying this Warrant is being transferred, a new Warrant (in accordance with Section 7(d)) to the Holder representing the right to purchase the number of Warrant Shares not being transferred.

(b) Lost, Stolen or Mutilated Warrant. Upon receipt by the Company of evidence reasonably satisfactory to the Company of the loss, theft, destruction or mutilation of this Warrant, and, in the case of loss, theft or destruction, of any indemnification undertaking by the Holder to the Company in customary form and, in the case of mutilation, upon surrender and cancellation of this Warrant, the Company shall execute and deliver to the Holder a new Warrant (in accordance with Section 7(d)) representing the right to purchase the Warrant Shares then underlying this Warrant.

(c) Exchangeable for Multiple Warrants. This Warrant is exchangeable, upon the surrender hereof by the Holder at the principal office of the Company, for a new Warrant or Warrants (in accordance with Section 7(d)) representing in the aggregate the right to purchase the number of Warrant Shares then underlying this Warrant, and each such new Warrant will represent the right to purchase such portion of such Warrant Shares as is designated by the Holder at the time of such surrender; provided, however, that no Warrants for fractional shares of Common Stock shall be given.

(d) Issuance of New Warrants. Whenever the Company is required to issue a new Warrant pursuant to the terms of this Warrant, such new Warrant (i) shall be of like tenor with this Warrant, (ii) shall represent, as indicated on the face of such new Warrant, the right to purchase the Warrant Shares then underlying this Warrant (or in the case of a new Warrant being issued pursuant to Section 7(a) or Section 7(c), the Warrant Shares designated by the Holder which, when added to the number of shares of Common Stock underlying the other new Warrants issued in connection with such issuance, does not exceed the number of Warrant Shares then underlying this Warrant), (iii) shall have an issuance date, as indicated on the face of such new Warrant which is the same as the Issuance Date, and (iv) shall have the same rights and conditions as this Warrant.

8. NOTICES. Whenever notice is required to be given under this Warrant, unless otherwise provided herein, such notice shall be given in accordance with Section 9.4 of the Purchase Agreement.

9. AMENDMENT AND WAIVER. Except as otherwise provided herein, the provisions of this Warrant may be amended and the Company may take any action herein prohibited, or omit to perform any act herein required to be performed by it, only if the Company has obtained the written consent of the Required Holders. Any such amendment shall apply to all Warrants and be binding upon all registered holders of such Warrants.

10. GOVERNING LAW; CONSENT TO JURISDICTION; WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL. This Warrant shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the internal laws of the State of New York, without reference to the choice of law provisions thereof. The Company and, by accepting this Warrant, the Holder, each irrevocably submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the State of New York located in New York County and the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York for the purpose of any suit, action, proceeding or judgment relating to or arising out of this Warrant and the transactions contemplated hereby. Service of process in connection with any such suit, action or proceeding may be served on each party hereto anywhere in the world by the same methods as are specified for the giving of notices under this Warrant. The Company and, by accepting this Warrant, the Holder, each irrevocably consents to the jurisdiction of any such court in any such suit, action or proceeding and to the laying of venue in such court. The Company and, by accepting this Warrant, the Holder, each irrevocably waives any objection to the laying of venue of any such suit, action or proceeding brought in such courts and irrevocably waives any claim that any such suit, action or proceeding brought in any such court has been brought in an inconvenient forum. **EACH OF THE COMPANY AND, BY ITS ACCEPTANCE HEREOF, THE HOLDER HEREBY WAIVES ANY RIGHT TO REQUEST A TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY LITIGATION WITH RESPECT TO THIS WARRANT AND REPRESENTS THAT COUNSEL HAS BEEN CONSULTED SPECIFICALLY AS TO THIS WAIVER.**

11. CONSTRUCTION; HEADINGS. This Warrant shall be deemed to be jointly drafted by the Company and the Holder and shall not be construed against any person as the drafter hereof. The headings of this Warrant are for convenience of reference and shall not form part of, or affect the interpretation of, this Warrant.

12. DISPUTE RESOLUTION. In the case of a dispute as to the determination of the Exercise Price or the arithmetic calculation of the Warrant Shares, the Company shall submit the disputed determinations or arithmetic calculations via facsimile within two (2) Business Days of receipt of the Exercise Notice giving rise to such dispute, as the case may be, to the Holder. If the Holder and the Company are unable to agree upon such determination or calculation of the Exercise Price or the Warrant Shares within three Business Days of such disputed determination or arithmetic calculation being submitted to the Holder, then the Company shall, within two (2) Business Days submit via facsimile (a) the disputed determination of the Exercise Price to an independent, reputable investment bank selected by the Company and approved by the Holder, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld, or (b) the disputed arithmetic calculation of the Warrant Shares to the Company's independent, outside accountant. The Company shall cause the investment bank or the accountant, as the case may be, to perform the determinations or calculations and notify the Company and the Holder of the results no later than ten Business Days from the time it receives the disputed determinations or calculations. The prevailing party in any dispute resolved pursuant to this Section 12 shall be entitled to the full amount of all reasonable expenses, including all costs and fees paid or incurred in good faith, in relation to the resolution of such dispute. Such investment bank's or accountant's determination or calculation, as the case may be, shall be binding upon all parties absent demonstrable error.

13. REMEDIES, OTHER OBLIGATIONS, BREACHES AND INJUNCTIVE RELIEF. The remedies provided in this Warrant shall be cumulative and in addition to all other remedies available under this Warrant, at law or in equity (including a decree of specific performance and/or other injunctive relief), and nothing herein shall limit the right of the Holder to pursue actual damages for any failure by the Company to comply with the terms of this Warrant.

14. TRANSFER. Subject to applicable laws, this Warrant may be offered for sale, sold, transferred or assigned without the consent of the Company

15. MANDATORY EXERCISE. Notwithstanding any other provision contained in this Warrant to the contrary, in the event that the Closing Bid Price of the Common Stock equals or exceeds \$0.40 (appropriately adjusted for any stock split, reverse stock split, stock dividend or other reclassification or combination of the Common Stock occurring after the Issuance Date) for twenty-five (25) consecutive Trading Days in a period of thirty (30) consecutive Trading Days commencing after the Registration Statement (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) has been declared effective, the Company, upon thirty (30) days prior written notice (the “**Notice Period**”) given to the Holder within one Business Day immediately following the end of such thirty (30) Trading Day period, may demand that the Holder exercise its cash exercise rights hereunder, and the Holder must exercise its rights hereunder prior to the end of the Notice Period; provided that (i) the Company simultaneously gives a similar notice to the holders of all of the outstanding Warrants, (ii) all of the shares of Common Stock issuable hereunder either (A) are registered pursuant to an effective Registration Statement (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) which has not been suspended and for which no stop order is in effect, and pursuant to which the Holder is able to sell such shares of Common Stock at all times during the Notice Period or (B) no longer constitute Registrable Securities (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) and (iii) this Warrant is fully exercisable for the full amount of Warrant Shares covered hereby after giving effect to the limitations set forth in Section 1(g). If such exercise is not made or if only a partial exercise is made, any and all rights to further exercise the Warrant shall cease upon the expiration of the Notice Period.

16. CERTAIN DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Warrant, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

(a) “**Affiliate**”, as applied to any Person, means any other Person directly or indirectly controlling, controlled by, or under common control with, that Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” (including, with correlative meanings, the terms “controlling”, “controlled by” and “under common control with”), as applied to any Person, means the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of that Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities or by contract or otherwise.

(b) **“Approved Stock Plan”** means any employee benefit plan or other issuance, employment agreement or option grant or similar agreement which has been approved by the Board of Directors of the Company, pursuant to which the Company’s securities may be issued to any employee, consultant, officer or director for services provided to the Company.

(c) **“Black Scholes Value”** means the value of the unexercised portion of this Warrant remaining on the date of the Holder’s request pursuant to Section 4(c), which value is calculated using the Black Scholes Option Pricing Model obtained from the “OV” function on Bloomberg utilizing (i) an underlying price per share equal to the greater of (1) the highest Closing Sale Price of the Common Stock during the period beginning on the Trading Day immediately preceding the earlier to occur of (x) the public disclosure of the applicable Fundamental Transaction or (y) the consummation of the applicable Fundamental Transaction and ending on the Trading Day of the consummation of the Fundamental Transaction and (2) the sum of the price per share being offered in cash in the applicable Fundamental Transaction (if any) plus the value of the non-cash consideration being offered in the applicable Fundamental Transaction (if any), (ii) a strike price equal to the Exercise Price in effect on the date of the Holder’s request pursuant to Section 4(c), (iii) a risk-free interest rate corresponding to the U.S. Treasury rate for a period equal to the greater of (1) the remaining term of this Warrant as of the date of the Holder’s request pursuant to Section 4(c) and (2) the remaining term of this Warrant as of the date of consummation of the applicable Fundamental Transaction or as of the date of the Holder’s request pursuant to Section 4(c) if such request is prior to the date of the consummation of the applicable Fundamental Transaction and (iv) an expected volatility equal to the greater of 100% and the 100 day volatility obtained from the HVT function on Bloomberg (determined utilizing a 365 day annualization factor) as of the Trading Day immediately following the public disclosure of the applicable Fundamental Transaction.

(d) **“Bloomberg”** means Bloomberg Financial Markets.

(e) **“Business Day”** means any day other than Saturday, Sunday or other day on which commercial banks in The City of New York are authorized or required by law to remain closed.

(f) **“Closing Bid Price”** and **“Closing Sale Price”** means, for any security as of any date, the last closing bid price and last closing trade price, respectively, for such security on the Principal Market, as reported by Bloomberg, or, if the Principal Market begins to operate on an extended hours basis and does not designate the closing bid price or the closing trade price, as the case may be, then the last bid price or the last trade price, respectively, of such security prior to 4:00:00 p.m., New York time, as reported by Bloomberg, or, if the Principal Market is not the principal securities exchange or trading market for such security, the last closing bid price or last trade price, respectively, of such security on the principal securities exchange or trading market where such security is listed or traded as reported by Bloomberg, or if the foregoing do not apply, the last closing bid price or last trade price, respectively, of such security in the over-the-counter market on the electronic bulletin board for such security as reported by Bloomberg, or, if no closing bid price or last trade price, respectively, is reported for such security by Bloomberg, the average of the bid prices, or the ask prices, respectively, of any market makers for such security as reported in the “pink sheets” by Pink Sheets LLC (formerly the National Quotation Bureau, Inc.). If the Closing Bid Price or the Closing Sale Price cannot be calculated for a security on a particular date on any of the foregoing bases, the Closing Bid Price or the Closing Sale Price, as the case may be, of such security on such date shall be the fair market value as mutually determined by the Company and the Holder. All such determinations to be appropriately adjusted for any stock dividend, stock split, stock combination or other similar transaction during the applicable calculation period.

(g) **“Common Stock”** means (i) the Company’s shares of Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share, and (ii) any share capital into which such Common Stock shall have been changed or any share capital resulting from a reclassification of such Common Stock.

(h) **“Convertible Securities”** means any stock or securities (other than Options) directly or indirectly convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for shares of Common Stock.

(i) **“Eligible Market”** means the Principal Market, The New York Stock Exchange, Inc., The NYSE MKT, The NASDAQ Capital Market, The NASDAQ Global Market or The NASDAQ Global Select Market.

(j) **“Exercisability Date”** means the Issuance Date.

(k) **“Expiration Date”** means the fifth anniversary of the Exercisability Date or, if such date falls on a day other than a Trading Day or on which trading does not take place on the Principal Market, or, if the Principal Market is not the principal trading market for the Common Stock, then on the principal securities exchange or securities market on which the Common Stock is then traded (a **“Holiday”**), the next date that is not a Holiday.

(l) **“Excluded Securities”** means: (i) the Exchange Shares issued in accordance with the Note Exchange, (ii) capital stock, Options or Convertible Securities issued to directors, officers, employees or consultants of the Company in connection with their service as directors of the Company, their employment by the Company or their retention as consultants by the Company pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan, (iii) shares of Common Stock issued upon the conversion or exercise of Options or Convertible Securities that were issued and outstanding on the date immediately preceding the Subscription Date, provided such securities are not amended after the Subscription Date to increase the number of shares of Common Stock issuable thereunder or to lower the exercise or conversion price thereof, (iv) securities issued pursuant to the Purchase Agreement and securities issued upon the exercise or conversion of those securities, and (v) shares of Common Stock issued or issuable by reason of a dividend, stock split or other distribution on shares of Common Stock (but only to the extent that such a dividend, split or distribution results in an adjustment in the Warrant Price pursuant to the other provisions of this Warrant).

(m) **“Fundamental Transaction”** means that the Company shall, directly or indirectly, in one or more related transactions, (i) consolidate or merge with or into (whether or not the Company is the surviving corporation) another Person (but excluding a migratory merger effected solely for the purpose of changing the jurisdiction of incorporation of the Company), or (ii) sell, assign, transfer, convey or otherwise dispose of all or substantially all of the properties or assets of the Company to another Person, or (iii) allow another Person to make a purchase, tender or exchange offer that is accepted by the holders of more than the 50% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock (not including any shares of Common Stock held by the Person or Persons making or party to, or associated or affiliated with the Persons making or party to, such purchase, tender or exchange offer), or (iv) consummate a stock purchase agreement or other business combination (including, without limitation, a reorganization, recapitalization, spin-off or scheme of arrangement) with another Person whereby such other Person acquires more than 50% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock (not including any shares of Common Stock held by the other Person or other Persons making or party to, or associated or affiliated with the other Persons making or party to, such stock purchase agreement or other business combination), (v) reorganize, recapitalize or reclassify its Common Stock, or (vi) any “person” or “group” (as these terms are used for purposes of Sections 13(d) and 14(d) of the Exchange Act) is or shall become the “beneficial owner” (as defined in Rule 13d-3 under the Exchange Act), directly or indirectly, of 50% of the aggregate ordinary voting power represented by issued and outstanding Common Stock.

(n) **“Insider Notes”** means the Company’s outstanding Demand Promissory Notes due to Ronald P. Erickson and/or his Affiliates.

(o) **“Note Exchange”** means the exchange and cancellation by Ronald P. Erickson and/or his Affiliates of \$500,000 of outstanding principal, accrued interest and other amounts due and owing on the Insider Notes into an aggregate of not more than 5,000,000 shares of Common Stock (the **“Exchange Shares”**).

(p) **“Options”** means any rights, warrants or options to subscribe for or purchase shares of Common Stock or Convertible Securities.

(q) **“Option Value”** means the value of an Option based on the Black and Scholes Option Pricing model obtained from the “OV” function on Bloomberg determined as of the day prior to the public announcement of the applicable Option for pricing purposes and reflecting (i) a risk-free interest rate corresponding to the U.S. Treasury rate for a period equal to the remaining term of the applicable Option as of the applicable date of determination, (ii) an expected volatility equal to the greater of (a) 100% and (b) the 100 day volatility obtained from the HVT function on Bloomberg as of the day immediately following the public announcement of the issuance of the applicable Option, (iii) the underlying price per share used in such calculation shall be the highest Weighted Average Price of the Common Stock during the period beginning on the day prior to the execution of definitive documentation relating to the issuance of the applicable Option and the public announcement of such issuance and (iv) a 360 day annualization factor.

(r) **“Parent Entity”** of a Person means an entity that, directly or indirectly, controls the applicable Person and whose common stock or equivalent equity security is quoted or listed on an Eligible Market, or, if there is more than one such Person or Parent Entity, the Person or Parent Entity with the largest public market capitalization as of the date of consummation of the Fundamental Transaction.

(s) **“Person”** means an individual, a limited liability company, a partnership, a joint venture, a corporation, a trust, an unincorporated organization, any other entity and a government or any department or agency thereof.

(t) **“Principal Market”** means the OTCQB.

(u) **“Registration Rights Agreement”** means the Registration Rights Agreement, in the form of Exhibit C to the Purchase Agreement, entered into by the Company and the original Holders pursuant to the Purchase Agreement.

(v) **“Required Holders”** means, as of any date, the holders of at least a majority of the Warrants outstanding as of such date.

(w) **“Successor Entity”** means the Person (or, if so elected by the Holder, the Parent Entity) formed by, resulting from or surviving any Fundamental Transaction or the Person (or, if so elected by the Holder, the Parent Entity) with which such Fundamental Transaction shall have been entered into.

(x) **“Trading Day”** means any day on which the Common Stock are traded on the Principal Market, or, if the Principal Market is not the principal trading market for the Common Stock, then on the principal securities exchange or securities market on which the Common Stock are then traded; *provided* that “Trading Day” shall not include any day on which the Common Stock are scheduled to trade on such exchange or market for less than 4.5 hours or any day that the Common Stock are suspended from trading during the final hour of trading on such exchange or market (or if such exchange or market does not designate in advance the closing time of trading on such exchange or market, then during the hour ending at 4:00:00 p.m., New York time).

(y) **“Weighted Average Price”** means, for any security as of any date, the dollar volume-weighted average price for such security on the Principal Market during the period beginning at 9:30:01 a.m., New York time (or such other time as the Principal Market publicly announces is the official open of trading), and ending at 4:00:00 p.m., New York time (or such other time as the Principal Market publicly announces is the official close of trading), as reported by Bloomberg through its “Volume at Price” function or, if the foregoing does not apply, the dollar volume-weighted average price of such security in the over-the-counter market on the electronic bulletin board for such security during the period beginning at 9:30:01 a.m., New York time (or such other time as the Principal Market publicly announces is the official open of trading), and ending at 4:00:00 p.m., New York time (or such other time as the Principal Market publicly announces is the official close of trading), as reported by Bloomberg, or, if no dollar volume-weighted average price is reported for such security by Bloomberg for such hours, the average of the highest closing bid price and the lowest closing ask price of any of the market makers for such security as reported in the “pink sheets” by OTC Markets LLC. If the Weighted Average Price cannot be calculated for a security on a particular date on any of the foregoing bases, the Weighted Average Price of such security on such date shall be the fair market value as mutually determined by the Company and the Holder. If the Company and the Holder are unable to agree upon the fair market value of such security, then such dispute shall be resolved pursuant to Section 12 with the term “Weighted Average Price” being substituted for the term “Exercise Price.” All such determinations shall be appropriately adjusted for any stock dividend, stock split, stock combination or other similar transaction during the applicable calculation period.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this Warrant to Purchase Common Stock to be duly executed as of the Issuance Date set out above.

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED

By: _____

Name: Ronald P. Erickson

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

**EXERCISE NOTICE
TO BE EXECUTED BY THE REGISTERED HOLDER TO EXERCISE THIS
WARRANT TO PURCHASE COMMON STOCK**

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED

The undersigned holder hereby exercises the right to purchase _____ of the shares of Common Stock (“**Warrant Shares**”) of Visualant, Incorporated, a Nevada corporation (the “**Company**”), evidenced by the attached Warrant to Purchase Common Stock (the “**Warrant**”). Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the respective meanings set forth in the Warrant.

1. Form of Exercise Price. The Holder intends that payment of the Exercise Price shall be made as:

_____ a “Cash Exercise” with respect to _____ Warrant Shares; and/or

_____ a “Cashless Exercise” with respect to _____ Warrant Shares.

2. Payment of Exercise Price. In the event that the holder has elected a Cash Exercise with respect to some or all of the Warrant Shares to be issued pursuant hereto, the holder shall pay the Aggregate Exercise Price in the sum of \$ _____ to the Company in accordance with the terms of the Warrant.

3. Delivery of Warrant Shares. The Company shall deliver to the holder _____ Warrant Shares in accordance with the terms of the Warrant and, after delivery of such Warrant Shares, _____ Warrant Shares remain subject to the Warrant.

Date: _____, _____

Name of Registered Holder

By: _____
Name:
Title:

ASSIGNMENT FORM

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED

(To assign the foregoing Warrant, execute this form and supply required information. Do not use this form to purchase shares.)

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the foregoing Warrant and all rights evidenced thereby are hereby assigned to

Name: _____
(Please Print)

Address: _____
(Please Print)

Dated: _____, _____

Holder's Signature: _____

Holder's Address: _____

NOTE: The signature to this Assignment Form must correspond with the name as it appears on the face of the Warrant, without alteration or enlargement or any change whatever. Officers of corporations and those acting in a fiduciary or other representative capacity should file proper evidence of authority to assign the foregoing Warrant.

THE SECURITIES REPRESENTED HEREBY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED WITH THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION OR THE SECURITIES COMMISSION OF ANY STATE IN RELIANCE UPON AN EXEMPTION FROM REGISTRATION UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED, AND, ACCORDINGLY, MAY NOT BE TRANSFERRED UNLESS (I) SUCH SECURITIES HAVE BEEN REGISTERED FOR SALE PURSUANT TO THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED, (II) SUCH SECURITIES MAY BE SOLD PURSUANT TO RULE 144, OR (III) THE COMPANY HAS RECEIVED AN OPINION OF COUNSEL REASONABLY SATISFACTORY TO IT THAT SUCH TRANSFER MAY LAWFULLY BE MADE WITHOUT REGISTRATION UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS OF SECTION 1 OF THIS WARRANT, ALL OR A PORTION OF THIS WARRANT MAY HAVE BEEN EXERCISED, AND THEREFORE THE ACTUAL NUMBER OF WARRANT SHARES REPRESENTED BY THIS WARRANT MAY BE LESS THAN THE AMOUNT SET FORTH ON THE FACE HEREOF.

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED

FORM OF Series D Warrant To Purchase Common Stock

Warrant No.: _____
 Number of Shares of Common Stock: _____
 Date of Issuance: _____, 2015 (“**Issuance Date**”)

Visualant, Incorporated, a Nevada corporation (the “**Company**”), hereby certifies that, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, _____, the registered holder hereof or its permitted assigns (the “**Holder**”), is entitled, subject to the terms set forth below, to purchase from the Company, at the Exercise Price (as defined below) then in effect, upon surrender of this Warrant to Purchase Common Stock (including any Warrants to Purchase Common Stock issued in exchange, transfer or replacement hereof, the “**Warrant**”), at any time or times on or after Exercisability Date (as defined below), but not after 11:59 p.m., New York time, on the Expiration Date (as defined below), _____, 2020 (_____) fully paid nonassessable shares of Common Stock (as defined below) (the “**Warrant Shares**”). Except as otherwise defined herein, capitalized terms in this Warrant shall have the meanings set forth in Section 16. This Warrant is one of the warrants to purchase Common Stock (this “**Warrant**”) issued pursuant to (i) the Purchase Agreement (the “**Purchase Agreement**”), dated as of _____, 2015 (the “**Subscription Date**”), by and among the Company and the investors party thereto. This Warrant is one of a series of warrants containing substantially identical terms and conditions issued pursuant to Purchase Agreement (collectively, the “**Warrants**”).

1. EXERCISE OF WARRANT.

(a) Mechanics of Exercise. Subject to the terms and conditions hereof, this Warrant may be exercised by the Holder on any day on or after the Exercisability Date, in whole or in part (but not as to fractional shares), by (i) delivery of a written notice, in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A (the “**Exercise Notice**”), of the Holder’s election to exercise this Warrant and (ii) if both (A) the Holder is not electing a Cashless Exercise (as defined below) pursuant to Section 1(d) of this Warrant and (B) a registration statement registering the issuance of the Warrant Shares under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “**Securities Act**”), is effective and available for the issuance of the Warrant Shares, or an exemption from registration under the Securities Act is available for the issuance of the Warrant Shares, payment to the Company of an amount equal to the applicable Exercise Price multiplied by the number of Warrant Shares as to which this Warrant is being exercised (the “**Aggregate Exercise Price**”) in cash or wire transfer of immediately available funds (a “**Cash Exercise**”) (the items under (i) and (ii) above, the “**Exercise Delivery Documents**”). The Holder shall not be required to surrender this Warrant in order to effect an exercise hereunder; provided, however, that in the event that this Warrant is exercised in full or for the remaining unexercised portion hereof, the Holder shall deliver this Warrant to the Company for cancellation within a reasonable time after such exercise. On or before the first Trading Day following the date on which the Company has received the Exercise Delivery Documents (the date upon which the Company has received all of the Exercise Delivery Documents, the “**Exercise Date**”), the Company shall transmit by facsimile or e-mail transmission an acknowledgment of confirmation of receipt of the Exercise Delivery Documents to the Holder and the Company’s transfer agent for the Common Stock (the “**Transfer Agent**”). The Company shall deliver any objection to the Exercise Delivery Documents on or before the second Trading Day following the date on which the Company has received all of the Exercise Delivery Documents. On or before the second Trading Day following the date on which the Company has received all of the Exercise Delivery Documents (the “**Share Delivery Date**”), the Company shall, (X) provided that the Transfer Agent is participating in The Depository Trust Company (“**DTC**”) Fast Automated Securities Transfer Program (the “**FAST Program**”) and so long as the certificates therefor are not required to bear a legend regarding restriction on transferability, upon the request of the Holder, credit such aggregate number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder is entitled pursuant to such exercise to the Holder’s or its designee’s balance account with DTC through its Deposit Withdrawal Agent Commission system, or (Y), if the Transfer Agent is not participating in the FAST Program or if the certificates are required to bear a legend regarding restriction on transferability, issue and dispatch by overnight courier to the address as specified in the Exercise Notice, a certificate, registered in the Company’s share register in the name of the Holder or its designee, for the number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder is entitled pursuant to such exercise. Upon delivery of the Exercise Delivery Documents, the Holder shall be deemed for all corporate purposes to have become the holder of record of the Warrant Shares with respect to which this Warrant has been exercised, irrespective of the date such Warrant Shares are credited to the Holder’s DTC account or the date of delivery of the certificates evidencing such Warrant Shares, as the case may be. If this Warrant is submitted in connection with any exercise pursuant to this Section 1(a) and the number of Warrant Shares represented by this Warrant submitted for exercise is greater than the number of Warrant Shares being acquired upon an exercise, then the Company shall as soon as practicable and in no event later than three Trading Days after any such submission and at its own expense, issue a new Warrant (in accordance with Section 7(e)) representing the right to purchase the number of Warrant Shares purchasable immediately prior to such exercise under this Warrant, less the number of Warrant Shares with respect to which this Warrant has been and/or is exercised. The Company shall pay any and all taxes and other expenses of the Company (including overnight delivery charges) that may be payable with respect to the issuance and delivery of Warrant Shares upon exercise of this Warrant; provided, however, that the Company shall not be required to pay any tax which may be payable in respect of any transfer involved in the registration of any certificates for Warrant Shares or Warrants in a name other than that of the Holder or an affiliate thereof. The Holder shall be responsible for all other tax liability that may arise as a result of holding or transferring this Warrant or receiving Warrant Shares upon exercise hereof.

(b) Exercise Price. For purposes of this Warrant, “**Exercise Price**” means \$0.30, subject to adjustment as provided herein.

(c) Company’s Failure to Timely Deliver Securities. If the Company shall fail for any reason or for no reason to issue to the Holder within three (3) Business Days of the Exercise Date a certificate for the number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder is entitled and register such shares of Common Stock on the Company’s share register or to credit the Holder’s balance account with DTC for such number of shares of Common Stock to which the Holder is entitled upon the Holder’s exercise of this Warrant, and if on or after such Trading Day the Holder purchases, or another Person purchases on the Holder’s behalf or for the Holder’s account (in an open market transaction or otherwise) shares of Common Stock to deliver in satisfaction of a sale by the Holder of shares of Common Stock issuable upon such exercise that the Holder anticipated receiving from the Company (a “**Buy-In**”), then the Company shall, within three (3) Business Days after the Holder’s written request and in the Holder’s discretion, either (i) pay cash to the Holder in an amount equal to the Holder’s total purchase price (including brokerage commissions, if any) for the shares of Common Stock so purchased (the “**Buy-In Price**”), at which point the Company’s obligation to deliver such certificate (and to issue such Warrant Shares) shall terminate, or (ii) promptly honor its obligation to deliver to the Holder a certificate or certificates representing such Warrant Shares and pay cash to the Holder in an amount equal to the excess (if any) of the Buy-In Price over the product of (A) such number of shares of Common Stock, times (B) the Closing Bid Price on the date of exercise.

(d) Cashless Exercise. Notwithstanding anything contained herein to the contrary, if at any time after the six-month anniversary of the Issuance Date a registration statement covering the Warrant Shares that are the subject of the Exercise Notice (the “**Unavailable Warrant Shares**”), or an exemption from registration, is not available for the resale of such Unavailable Warrant Shares, the Holder may, in its sole discretion, exercise this Warrant in whole or in part and, in lieu of making the cash payment otherwise contemplated to be made to the Company upon such exercise in payment of the Aggregate Exercise Price, elect instead to receive upon such exercise the “**Net Number**” of shares of Common Stock determined according to the following formula (a “**Cashless Exercise**”):

$$\text{Net Number} = \frac{(A \times B) - (A \times C)}{B}$$

For purposes of the foregoing formula:

A= the total number of shares with respect to which this Warrant is then being exercised.

B= the arithmetic average of the Closing Sale Prices of the shares of Common Stock for the five (5) consecutive Trading Days ending on the date immediately preceding the date of the Exercise Notice.

C= the Exercise Price then in effect for the applicable Warrant Shares at the time of such exercise.

(e) Rule 144. For purposes of Rule 144(d) promulgated under the Securities Act, as in effect on the date hereof, assuming the Holder is not an affiliate of the Company, it is intended that the Warrant Shares issued in a Cashless Exercise shall be deemed to have been acquired by the Holder, and the holding period for the Warrant Shares shall be deemed to have commenced, on the date this Warrant was originally issued pursuant to the Purchase Agreement.

(f) Disputes. In the case of a dispute as to the determination of the Exercise Price or the arithmetic calculation of the Warrant Shares, the Company shall promptly issue to the Holder the number of Warrant Shares that are not disputed.

(g) Beneficial Ownership. The Company shall not effect the exercise of this Warrant, and the Holder shall not have the right to exercise this Warrant, to the extent that after giving effect to such exercise, such Person (together with such Person's affiliates) would beneficially own in excess of 4.99% (the "**Maximum Percentage**") of the shares of Common Stock outstanding immediately after giving effect to such exercise. For purposes of the foregoing sentence, the aggregate number of shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by such Person and its affiliates shall include the number of shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of this Warrant with respect to which the determination of such sentence is being made, but shall exclude shares of Common Stock which would be issuable upon (i) exercise of the remaining, unexercised portion of this Warrant beneficially owned by such Person and its affiliates and (ii) exercise or conversion of the unexercised or unconverted portion of any other securities of the Company beneficially owned by such Person and its affiliates (including, without limitation, any convertible notes or convertible preferred stock or warrants) subject to a limitation on conversion or exercise analogous to the limitation contained herein. Except as set forth in the preceding sentence, for purposes of this paragraph, beneficial ownership shall be calculated in accordance with Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "**Exchange Act**"). For purposes of this Warrant, in determining the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock, the Holder may rely on the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock as reflected in the most recent of (1) the Company's most recent Form 10-K, Form 10-Q, Current Report on Form 8-K or other public filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission, as the case may be, (2) a more recent public announcement by the Company or (3) any other notice by the Company or the Transfer Agent setting forth the number of shares of Common Stock outstanding. For any reason at any time, upon the written or oral request of the Holder, the Company shall within two (2) Business Days confirm to the Holder the number of shares of Common Stock then outstanding. In any case, the number of outstanding shares of Common Stock shall be determined after giving effect to the conversion or exercise of securities of the Company, including this Warrant, by the Holder and its affiliates since the date as of which such number of outstanding shares of Common Stock was reported. By written notice to the Company, the Holder may from time to time increase or decrease the Maximum Percentage to any other percentage not in excess of 9.99% specified in such notice; provided that (i) any such increase will not be effective until the sixty-first (61st) day after such notice is delivered to the Company, and (ii) any such increase or decrease will apply only to the Holder. The provisions of this paragraph shall be construed and implemented in a manner otherwise than in strict conformity with the terms of this Section 1(g) to correct this paragraph (or any portion hereof) which may be defective or inconsistent with the intended beneficial ownership limitation herein contained or to make changes or supplements necessary or desirable to properly give effect to such limitation.

2. ADJUSTMENT OF EXERCISE PRICE AND NUMBER OF WARRANT SHARES. The Exercise Price and the number of Warrant Shares shall be adjusted from time to time as follows:

(a) Adjustment upon Issuance of shares of Common Stock. If and whenever on or after the Subscription Date, the Company issues or sells, or in accordance with this Section 2 is deemed to have issued or sold, any shares of Common Stock (including the issuance or sale of shares of Common Stock owned or held by or for the account of the Company, but excluding shares of Common Stock issued or deemed to have been issued by the Company in connection with any Excluded Securities (as defined below) (the “**Additional Shares**”) for a consideration per share (the “**New Issuance Price**”) less than a price (the “**Applicable Price**”) equal to the Exercise Price in effect immediately prior to such issue or sale or deemed issuance or sale (the foregoing a “**Dilutive Issuance**”), then immediately after such Dilutive Issuance, the Exercise Price then in effect shall be reduced to the lowest price per share at which any share of Common Stock was issued or sold or deemed to be issued or sold.

For purposes of determining the adjusted Exercise Price under this Section 2(a), the following shall be applicable:

(i) Issuance of Options. If the Company in any manner grants any Options and the lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is issuable upon the exercise of any such Option or upon conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Securities issuable upon exercise of any such Option is less than the Applicable Price, then such share of Common Stock shall be deemed to be outstanding and to have been issued and sold by the Company at the time of the granting or sale of such Option for such price per share. For purposes of this Section 2(a)(i), the “lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is issuable upon exercise of such Options or upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Securities issuable upon exercise of any such Option” shall be equal to the sum of the lowest amounts of consideration (if any) received or receivable by the Company with respect to any one share of Common Stock upon the granting or sale of the Option, upon exercise of the Option and upon conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Security issuable upon exercise of such Option less any consideration paid or payable by the Company with respect to such one share of Common Stock upon the granting or sale of such Option, upon exercise of such Option and upon conversion exercise or exchange of any Convertible Security issuable upon exercise of such Option. No further adjustment of the Exercise Price or number of Warrant Shares shall be made upon the actual issuance of such shares of Common Stock or of such Convertible Securities upon the exercise of such Options or upon the actual issuance of such shares of Common Stock upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Securities.

(ii) Issuance of Convertible Securities. If the Company in any manner issues or sells any Convertible Securities and the lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is issuable upon the conversion, exercise or exchange thereof is less than the Applicable Price, then such share of Common Stock shall be deemed to be outstanding and to have been issued and sold by the Company at the time of the issuance or sale of such Convertible Securities for such price per share. For the purposes of this Section 2(a)(ii), the “lowest price per share for which one share of Common Stock is issuable upon the conversion, exercise or exchange thereof” shall be equal to the sum of the lowest amounts of consideration (if any) received or receivable by the Company with respect to one share of Common Stock upon the issuance or sale of the Convertible Security and upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Security less any consideration paid or payable by the Company with respect to such one share of Common Stock upon the issuance or sale of such Convertible Security and upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Security. No further adjustment of the Exercise Price or number of Warrant Shares shall be made upon the actual issuance of such shares of Common Stock upon conversion, exercise or exchange of such Convertible Securities, and if any such issue or sale of such Convertible Securities is made upon exercise of any Options for which adjustment of this Warrant has been or is to be made pursuant to other provisions of this Section 2(a), no further adjustment of the Exercise Price or number of Warrant Shares shall be made by reason of such issue or sale.

(iii) Change in Option Price or Rate of Conversion. If the purchase price provided for in any Options, the additional consideration, if any, payable upon the issue, conversion, exercise or exchange of any Convertible Securities, or the rate at which any Convertible Securities are convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for shares of Common Stock increases or decreases at any time, the Exercise Price and the number of Warrant Shares in effect at the time of such increase or decrease shall be adjusted to the Exercise Price and the number of Warrant Shares which would have been in effect at such time had such Options or Convertible Securities provided for such increased or decreased purchase price, additional consideration or increased or decreased conversion rate, as the case may be, at the time initially granted, issued or sold. For purposes of this Section 2(a)(iii), if the terms of any Option or Convertible Security that was outstanding as of the date of issuance of this Warrant are increased or decreased in the manner described in the immediately preceding sentence, then such Option or Convertible Security and the shares of Common Stock deemed issuable upon exercise, conversion or exchange thereof shall be deemed to have been issued as of the date of such increase or decrease. No adjustment pursuant to this Section 2(a) shall be made if such adjustment would result in an increase of the Exercise Price then in effect or a decrease in the number of Warrant Shares.

(iv) Calculation of Consideration Received. In case any Option is issued in connection with the issue or sale of other securities of the Company, together comprising one integrated transaction, (x) the Options will be deemed to have been issued for the Option Value of such Options and (y) the other securities issued or sold in such integrated transaction shall be deemed to have been issued for the difference of (I) the aggregate consideration received by the Company less any consideration paid or payable by the Company pursuant to the terms of such other securities of the Company, less (II) the Option Value. If any shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities are issued or sold or deemed to have been issued or sold for cash, the consideration received therefor will be deemed to be the net amount received by the Company therefor. If any shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities are issued or sold for a consideration other than cash, the amount of such consideration received by the Company will be the fair value of such consideration, except where such consideration consists of securities, in which case the amount of consideration received by the Company will be the Closing Sale Price of such security on the date of receipt. If any shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities are issued to the owners of the non-surviving entity in connection with any merger in which the Company is the surviving entity, the amount of consideration therefor will be deemed to be the fair value of such portion of the net assets and business of the non-surviving entity as is attributable to such shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities, as the case may be. The fair value of any consideration other than cash or securities will be determined jointly by the Company and the Required Holders. If such parties are unable to reach agreement within ten (10) days after the occurrence of an event requiring valuation (the “**Valuation Event**”), the fair value of such consideration will be determined within five (5) Trading Days after the tenth (10th) day following the Valuation Event by an independent, reputable appraiser jointly selected by the Company and the Required Holders. The determination of such appraiser shall be final and binding upon all parties absent manifest error and the fees and expenses of such appraiser shall be borne by the Company.

(v) Record Date. If the Company takes a record of the holders of shares of Common Stock for the purpose of entitling them (A) to receive a dividend or other distribution payable in shares of Common Stock, Options or in Convertible Securities or (B) to subscribe for or purchase shares of Common Stock, Options or Convertible Securities, then such record date will be deemed to be the date of the issue or sale of the shares of Common Stock deemed to have been issued or sold upon the declaration of such dividend or the making of such other distribution or the date of the granting of such right of subscription or purchase, as the case may be.

(b) Voluntary Adjustment By Company. The Company may at any time during the term of this Warrant reduce the then current Exercise Price to any amount and for any period of time deemed appropriate by the Board of Directors of the Company.

(c) Adjustment upon Subdivision or Combination of Common Stock. If the Company at any time on or after the Subscription Date subdivides (by any stock split, stock dividend, recapitalization, reorganization, scheme, arrangement or otherwise) one or more classes of its outstanding shares of Common Stock into a greater number of shares, the Exercise Price in effect immediately prior to such subdivision will be proportionately reduced and the number of Warrant Shares will be proportionately increased. If the Company at any time on or after the Subscription Date combines (by any stock split, stock dividend, recapitalization, reorganization, scheme, arrangement or otherwise) one or more classes of its outstanding shares of Common Stock into a smaller number of shares, the Exercise Price in effect immediately prior to such combination will be proportionately increased and the number of Warrant Shares will be proportionately decreased. Any adjustment under this Section 2(c) shall become effective at the close of business on the date the subdivision or combination becomes effective.

(d) Other Events. If any event occurs of the type contemplated by the provisions of this Section 2 but not expressly provided for by such provisions (including, without limitation, the granting of stock appreciation rights or phantom stock rights), then the Company's Board of Directors will make an appropriate adjustment in the Exercise Price and the number of Warrant Shares so as to protect the rights of the Holder; provided that no such adjustment pursuant to this Section 2(d) will increase the Exercise Price or decrease the number of Warrant Shares as otherwise determined pursuant to this Section 2.

3. RIGHTS UPON DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS.

(a) If the Company, at any time while this Warrant is outstanding, shall distribute to all holders of Common Stock (and not to the Holders) evidences of its indebtedness or assets (including cash and cash dividends) or rights or warrants to subscribe for or purchase any security other than the Common Stock (including, without limitation, any distribution of cash, stock or other securities, property or options by way of a dividend, spin off, reclassification, corporate rearrangement, scheme of arrangement or other similar transaction), then in each such case the Exercise Price shall be adjusted by multiplying the Exercise Price in effect immediately prior to the record date fixed for determination of stockholders entitled to receive such distribution by a fraction of which the denominator shall be the Weighted Average Price determined as of the record date mentioned above, and of which the numerator shall be such Weighted Average Price on such record date less the then per share fair market value at such record date of the portion of such assets or evidence of indebtedness so distributed applicable to one outstanding share of the Common Stock as determined by the Board of Directors in good faith. In either case the adjustments shall be described in a statement provided to the Holder of the portion of assets or evidences of indebtedness so distributed or such subscription rights applicable to one share of Common Stock. Such adjustment shall be made whenever any such distribution is made and shall become effective immediately after the record date mentioned above.

4. PURCHASE RIGHTS; FUNDAMENTAL TRANSACTIONS.

(a) Purchase Rights. In addition to any adjustments pursuant to Section 2 above, if at any time the Company grants, issues or sells any Options, Convertible Securities or rights to purchase stock, warrants, securities or other property pro rata to the record holders of any class of Common Stock (the “**Purchase Rights**”), then the Holder will be entitled to acquire, upon the terms applicable to such Purchase Rights, the aggregate Purchase Rights which the Holder could have acquired if the Holder had held the number of shares of Common Stock acquirable upon complete exercise of this Warrant (without regard to any limitations on the exercise of this Warrant) immediately before the date on which a record is taken for the grant, issuance or sale of such Purchase Rights, or, if no such record is taken, the date as of which the record holders of shares of Common Stock are to be determined for the grant, issue or sale of such Purchase Rights.

(b) Fundamental Transactions. The Company shall not enter into or be party to a Fundamental Transaction unless the Successor Entity assumes in writing (unless the Company is the Successor Entity) all of the obligations of the Company under this Warrant and the other Transaction Documents in accordance with the provisions of this Section (4)(b) pursuant to written agreements in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Required Holders and approved by the Required Holders prior to such Fundamental Transaction, including agreements to deliver to each holder of the Warrants in exchange for such Warrants a security of the Successor Entity evidenced by a written instrument substantially similar in form and substance to this Warrant, including, without limitation, an adjusted exercise price equal to the value for the shares of Common Stock reflected by the terms of such Fundamental Transaction, and exercisable for a corresponding number of shares of capital stock equivalent to the shares of Common Stock acquirable and receivable upon exercise of this Warrant (without regard to any limitations on the exercise of this Warrant) prior to such Fundamental Transaction, and reasonably satisfactory to the Required Holders. Upon the occurrence of any Fundamental Transaction, the Successor Entity shall succeed to, and be substituted for (so that from and after the date of such Fundamental Transaction, the provisions of this Warrant referring to the “Company” shall refer instead to the Successor Entity), and may exercise every right and power of the Company and shall assume all of the obligations of the Company under this Warrant with the same effect as if such Successor Entity had been named as the Company herein. Upon consummation of the Fundamental Transaction, the Successor Entity shall deliver to the Holder confirmation that there shall be issued upon exercise of this Warrant at any time after the consummation of the Fundamental Transaction, in lieu of the shares of Common Stock (or other securities, cash, assets or other property) issuable upon the exercise of the Warrant prior to such Fundamental Transaction, such shares of the publicly traded common stock or common shares (or its equivalent) of the Successor Entity (including its Parent Entity) which the Holder would have been entitled to receive upon the happening of such Fundamental Transaction had this Warrant been converted immediately prior to such Fundamental Transaction, as adjusted in accordance with the provisions of this Warrant. In addition to and not in substitution for any other rights hereunder, prior to the consummation of any Fundamental Transaction pursuant to which holders of shares of Common Stock are entitled to receive securities or other assets with respect to or in exchange for shares of Common Stock (a “**Corporate Event**”), the Company shall make appropriate provision to insure that the Holder will thereafter have the right to receive upon an exercise of this Warrant at any time after the consummation of the Corporate Event but prior to the Expiration Date, in lieu of shares of Common Stock (or other securities, cash, assets or other property) purchasable upon the exercise of this Warrant prior to such Corporate Event, such shares of stock, securities, cash, assets or any other property whatsoever (including warrants or other purchase or subscription rights) which the Holder would have been entitled to receive upon the happening of such Corporate Event had this Warrant been exercised immediately prior to such Corporate Event. Provision made pursuant to the preceding sentence shall be in a form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Required Holders. The provisions of this Section 4(b) shall apply similarly and equally to successive Fundamental Transactions and Corporate Events and shall be applied without regard to any limitations on the exercise of this Warrant.

(c) Black Scholes Value. Notwithstanding the foregoing and the provisions of Section 4(b) above, in the event of the consummation of a Fundamental Transaction that is (1) an all-cash transaction, (2) a “Rule 13e-3 transaction” as defined in Rule 13e-3 under the Exchange Act or (3) a Fundamental Transaction involving a person or entity not traded on an Eligible Market, at the request of the Holder delivered at any time commencing on the earliest to occur of (x) the public disclosure of the Fundamental Transaction or (y) the consummation of the Fundamental Transaction, through the date that is ninety (90) days after the public disclosure of the consummation of such Fundamental Transaction by the Company pursuant to a Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the SEC, the Company or the Successor Entity (as the case may be) shall purchase this Warrant from the Holder on the later of (i) the date of consummation of the Fundamental Transaction and (ii) the fifth Trading Day following the date of such request, in each case by paying to the Holder cash in an amount equal to the Black Scholes Value.

(d) Applicability to Successive Transactions. The provisions of this Section shall apply similarly and equally to successive Fundamental Transactions and Corporate Events and shall be applied without regard to any limitations on the exercise of this Warrant.

5. NONCIRCUMVENTION. The Company hereby covenants and agrees that the Company will not, by amendment of its Certificate of Incorporation, Bylaws or through any reorganization, transfer of assets, consolidation, merger, scheme of arrangement, dissolution, issue or sale of securities, or any other voluntary action, avoid or seek to avoid the observance or performance of any of the terms of this Warrant, and will at all times in good faith comply with all the provisions of this Warrant and take all actions consistent with effectuating the purposes of this Warrant. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Company (i) shall not increase the par value of any shares of Common Stock receivable upon the exercise of this Warrant above the Exercise Price then in effect, (ii) shall take all such actions as may be necessary or appropriate in order that the Company may validly and legally issue fully paid and nonassessable shares of Common Stock upon the exercise of this Warrant, and (iii) shall, so long as this Warrant is outstanding, take all action necessary to reserve and keep available out of its authorized and unissued shares of Common Stock, solely for the purpose of effecting the exercise of this Warrant, 100% of the number of shares of Common Stock issuable upon exercise of this Warrant then outstanding (without regard to any limitations on exercise).

6. WARRANT HOLDER NOT DEEMED A STOCKHOLDER. Except as otherwise specifically provided herein, the Holder, solely in such Person’s capacity as a holder of this Warrant, shall not be entitled to vote or receive dividends or be deemed the holder of share capital of the Company for any purpose, nor shall anything contained in this Warrant be construed to confer upon the Holder, solely in such Person’s capacity as the Holder of this Warrant, any of the rights of a stockholder of the Company or any right to vote, give or withhold consent to any corporate action (whether any reorganization, issue of stock, reclassification of stock, consolidation, merger, conveyance or otherwise), receive notice of meetings, receive dividends or subscription rights, or otherwise, prior to the issuance to the Holder of the Warrant Shares which such Person is then entitled to receive upon the due exercise of this Warrant. In addition, nothing contained in this Warrant shall be construed as imposing any liabilities on the Holder to purchase any securities (upon exercise of this Warrant or otherwise) or as a stockholder of the Company, whether such liabilities are asserted by the Company or by creditors of the Company.

7. REISSUANCE OF WARRANTS.

(a) Transfer of Warrant. If this Warrant is to be transferred, the Holder shall surrender this Warrant to the Company and deliver the completed and executed Assignment Form, in the form attached hereto as Exhibit B, whereupon the Company will forthwith issue and deliver upon the order of the Holder a new Warrant (in accordance with Section 7(d)), registered as the Holder may request, representing the right to purchase the number of Warrant Shares being transferred by the Holder and, if less than the total number of Warrant Shares then underlying this Warrant is being transferred, a new Warrant (in accordance with Section 7(d)) to the Holder representing the right to purchase the number of Warrant Shares not being transferred.

(b) Lost, Stolen or Mutilated Warrant. Upon receipt by the Company of evidence reasonably satisfactory to the Company of the loss, theft, destruction or mutilation of this Warrant, and, in the case of loss, theft or destruction, of any indemnification undertaking by the Holder to the Company in customary form and, in the case of mutilation, upon surrender and cancellation of this Warrant, the Company shall execute and deliver to the Holder a new Warrant (in accordance with Section 7(d)) representing the right to purchase the Warrant Shares then underlying this Warrant.

(c) Exchangeable for Multiple Warrants. This Warrant is exchangeable, upon the surrender hereof by the Holder at the principal office of the Company, for a new Warrant or Warrants (in accordance with Section 7(d)) representing in the aggregate the right to purchase the number of Warrant Shares then underlying this Warrant, and each such new Warrant will represent the right to purchase such portion of such Warrant Shares as is designated by the Holder at the time of such surrender; provided, however, that no Warrants for fractional shares of Common Stock shall be given.

(d) Issuance of New Warrants. Whenever the Company is required to issue a new Warrant pursuant to the terms of this Warrant, such new Warrant (i) shall be of like tenor with this Warrant, (ii) shall represent, as indicated on the face of such new Warrant, the right to purchase the Warrant Shares then underlying this Warrant (or in the case of a new Warrant being issued pursuant to Section 7(a) or Section 7(c), the Warrant Shares designated by the Holder which, when added to the number of shares of Common Stock underlying the other new Warrants issued in connection with such issuance, does not exceed the number of Warrant Shares then underlying this Warrant), (iii) shall have an issuance date, as indicated on the face of such new Warrant which is the same as the Issuance Date, and (iv) shall have the same rights and conditions as this Warrant.

8. NOTICES. Whenever notice is required to be given under this Warrant, unless otherwise provided herein, such notice shall be given in accordance with Section 9.4 of the Purchase Agreement.

9. AMENDMENT AND WAIVER. Except as otherwise provided herein, the provisions of this Warrant may be amended and the Company may take any action herein prohibited, or omit to perform any act herein required to be performed by it, only if the Company has obtained the written consent of the Required Holders. Any such amendment shall apply to all Warrants and be binding upon all registered holders of such Warrants.

10. GOVERNING LAW; CONSENT TO JURISDICTION; WAIVER OF JURY TRIAL. This Warrant shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the internal laws of the State of New York, without reference to the choice of law provisions thereof. The Company and, by accepting this Warrant, the Holder, each irrevocably submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the State of New York located in New York County and the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York for the purpose of any suit, action, proceeding or judgment relating to or arising out of this Warrant and the transactions contemplated hereby. Service of process in connection with any such suit, action or proceeding may be served on each party hereto anywhere in the world by the same methods as are specified for the giving of notices under this Warrant. The Company and, by accepting this Warrant, the Holder, each irrevocably consents to the jurisdiction of any such court in any such suit, action or proceeding and to the laying of venue in such court. The Company and, by accepting this Warrant, the Holder, each irrevocably waives any objection to the laying of venue of any such suit, action or proceeding brought in such courts and irrevocably waives any claim that any such suit, action or proceeding brought in any such court has been brought in an inconvenient forum. **EACH OF THE COMPANY AND, BY ITS ACCEPTANCE HEREOF, THE HOLDER HEREBY WAIVES ANY RIGHT TO REQUEST A TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY LITIGATION WITH RESPECT TO THIS WARRANT AND REPRESENTS THAT COUNSEL HAS BEEN CONSULTED SPECIFICALLY AS TO THIS WAIVER.**

11. CONSTRUCTION; HEADINGS. This Warrant shall be deemed to be jointly drafted by the Company and the Holder and shall not be construed against any person as the drafter hereof. The headings of this Warrant are for convenience of reference and shall not form part of, or affect the interpretation of, this Warrant.

12. DISPUTE RESOLUTION. In the case of a dispute as to the determination of the Exercise Price or the arithmetic calculation of the Warrant Shares, the Company shall submit the disputed determinations or arithmetic calculations via facsimile within two (2) Business Days of receipt of the Exercise Notice giving rise to such dispute, as the case may be, to the Holder. If the Holder and the Company are unable to agree upon such determination or calculation of the Exercise Price or the Warrant Shares within three Business Days of such disputed determination or arithmetic calculation being submitted to the Holder, then the Company shall, within two (2) Business Days submit via facsimile (a) the disputed determination of the Exercise Price to an independent, reputable investment bank selected by the Company and approved by the Holder, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld, or (b) the disputed arithmetic calculation of the Warrant Shares to the Company's independent, outside accountant. The Company shall cause the investment bank or the accountant, as the case may be, to perform the determinations or calculations and notify the Company and the Holder of the results no later than ten Business Days from the time it receives the disputed determinations or calculations. The prevailing party in any dispute resolved pursuant to this Section 12 shall be entitled to the full amount of all reasonable expenses, including all costs and fees paid or incurred in good faith, in relation to the resolution of such dispute. Such investment bank's or accountant's determination or calculation, as the case may be, shall be binding upon all parties absent demonstrable error.

13. REMEDIES, OTHER OBLIGATIONS, BREACHES AND INJUNCTIVE RELIEF. The remedies provided in this Warrant shall be cumulative and in addition to all other remedies available under this Warrant, at law or in equity (including a decree of specific performance and/or other injunctive relief), and nothing herein shall limit the right of the Holder to pursue actual damages for any failure by the Company to comply with the terms of this Warrant.

14. TRANSFER. Subject to applicable laws, this Warrant may be offered for sale, sold, transferred or assigned without the consent of the Company

15. MANDATORY EXERCISE. Notwithstanding any other provision contained in this Warrant to the contrary, in the event that the Closing Bid Price of the Common Stock equals or exceeds \$0.60 (appropriately adjusted for any stock split, reverse stock split, stock dividend or other reclassification or combination of the Common Stock occurring after the Issuance Date) for twenty-five (25) consecutive Trading Days in a period of thirty (30) consecutive Trading Days commencing after the Registration Statement (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) has been declared effective, the Company, upon thirty (30) days prior written notice (the “**Notice Period**”) given to the Holder within one Business Day immediately following the end of such thirty (30) Trading Day period, may demand that the Holder exercise its cash exercise rights hereunder, and the Holder must exercise its rights hereunder prior to the end of the Notice Period; provided that (i) the Company simultaneously gives a similar notice to the holders of all of the outstanding Warrants, (ii) all of the shares of Common Stock issuable hereunder either (A) are registered pursuant to an effective Registration Statement (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) which has not been suspended and for which no stop order is in effect, and pursuant to which the Holder is able to sell such shares of Common Stock at all times during the Notice Period or (B) no longer constitute Registrable Securities (as defined in the Registration Rights Agreement) and (iii) this Warrant is fully exercisable for the full amount of Warrant Shares covered hereby after giving effect to the limitations set forth in Section 1(g). If such exercise is not made or if only a partial exercise is made, any and all rights to further exercise the Warrant shall cease upon the expiration of the Notice Period.

16. CERTAIN DEFINITIONS. For purposes of this Warrant, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

(a) “**Affiliate**”, as applied to any Person, means any other Person directly or indirectly controlling, controlled by, or under common control with, that Person. For the purposes of this definition, “control” (including, with correlative meanings, the terms “controlling”, “controlled by” and “under common control with”), as applied to any Person, means the possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of that Person, whether through the ownership of voting securities or by contract or otherwise.

(b) **“Approved Stock Plan”** means any employee benefit plan or other issuance, employment agreement or option grant or similar agreement which has been approved by the Board of Directors of the Company, pursuant to which the Company’s securities may be issued to any employee, consultant, officer or director for services provided to the Company.

(c) **“Black Scholes Value”** means the value of the unexercised portion of this Warrant remaining on the date of the Holder’s request pursuant to Section 4(c), which value is calculated using the Black Scholes Option Pricing Model obtained from the “OV” function on Bloomberg utilizing (i) an underlying price per share equal to the greater of (1) the highest Closing Sale Price of the Common Stock during the period beginning on the Trading Day immediately preceding the earlier to occur of (x) the public disclosure of the applicable Fundamental Transaction or (y) the consummation of the applicable Fundamental Transaction and ending on the Trading Day of the consummation of the Fundamental Transaction and (2) the sum of the price per share being offered in cash in the applicable Fundamental Transaction (if any) plus the value of the non-cash consideration being offered in the applicable Fundamental Transaction (if any), (ii) a strike price equal to the Exercise Price in effect on the date of the Holder’s request pursuant to Section 4(c), (iii) a risk-free interest rate corresponding to the U.S. Treasury rate for a period equal to the greater of (1) the remaining term of this Warrant as of the date of the Holder’s request pursuant to Section 4(c) and (2) the remaining term of this Warrant as of the date of consummation of the applicable Fundamental Transaction or as of the date of the Holder’s request pursuant to Section 4(c) if such request is prior to the date of the consummation of the applicable Fundamental Transaction and (iv) an expected volatility equal to the greater of 100% and the 100 day volatility obtained from the HVT function on Bloomberg (determined utilizing a 365 day annualization factor) as of the Trading Day immediately following the public disclosure of the applicable Fundamental Transaction.

(d) **“Bloomberg”** means Bloomberg Financial Markets.

(e) **“Business Day”** means any day other than Saturday, Sunday or other day on which commercial banks in The City of New York are authorized or required by law to remain closed.

(f) **“Closing Bid Price”** and **“Closing Sale Price”** means, for any security as of any date, the last closing bid price and last closing trade price, respectively, for such security on the Principal Market, as reported by Bloomberg, or, if the Principal Market begins to operate on an extended hours basis and does not designate the closing bid price or the closing trade price, as the case may be, then the last bid price or the last trade price, respectively, of such security prior to 4:00:00 p.m., New York time, as reported by Bloomberg, or, if the Principal Market is not the principal securities exchange or trading market for such security, the last closing bid price or last trade price, respectively, of such security on the principal securities exchange or trading market where such security is listed or traded as reported by Bloomberg, or if the foregoing do not apply, the last closing bid price or last trade price, respectively, of such security in the over-the-counter market on the electronic bulletin board for such security as reported by Bloomberg, or, if no closing bid price or last trade price, respectively, is reported for such security by Bloomberg, the average of the bid prices, or the ask prices, respectively, of any market makers for such security as reported in the “pink sheets” by Pink Sheets LLC (formerly the National Quotation Bureau, Inc.). If the Closing Bid Price or the Closing Sale Price cannot be calculated for a security on a particular date on any of the foregoing bases, the Closing Bid Price or the Closing Sale Price, as the case may be, of such security on such date shall be the fair market value as mutually determined by the Company and the Holder. All such determinations to be appropriately adjusted for any stock dividend, stock split, stock combination or other similar transaction during the applicable calculation period.

(g) **“Common Stock”** means (i) the Company’s shares of Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share, and (ii) any share capital into which such Common Stock shall have been changed or any share capital resulting from a reclassification of such Common Stock.

(h) **“Convertible Securities”** means any stock or securities (other than Options) directly or indirectly convertible into or exercisable or exchangeable for shares of Common Stock.

(i) **“Eligible Market”** means the Principal Market, The New York Stock Exchange, Inc., The NYSE MKT, The NASDAQ Capital Market, The NASDAQ Global Market or The NASDAQ Global Select Market.

(j) **“Exercisability Date”** means the Issuance Date.

(k) **“Expiration Date”** means the fifth anniversary of the Exercisability Date or, if such date falls on a day other than a Trading Day or on which trading does not take place on the Principal Market, or, if the Principal Market is not the principal trading market for the Common Stock, then on the principal securities exchange or securities market on which the Common Stock is then traded (a **“Holiday”**), the next date that is not a Holiday.

(l) **“Excluded Securities”** means: (i) the Exchange Shares issued in accordance with the Note Exchange, (ii) capital stock, Options or Convertible Securities issued to directors, officers, employees or consultants of the Company in connection with their service as directors of the Company, their employment by the Company or their retention as consultants by the Company pursuant to an Approved Stock Plan, (iii) shares of Common Stock issued upon the conversion or exercise of Options or Convertible Securities that were issued and outstanding on the date immediately preceding the Subscription Date, provided such securities are not amended after the Subscription Date to increase the number of shares of Common Stock issuable thereunder or to lower the exercise or conversion price thereof, (iv) securities issued pursuant to the Purchase Agreement and securities issued upon the exercise or conversion of those securities, and (v) shares of Common Stock issued or issuable by reason of a dividend, stock split or other distribution on shares of Common Stock (but only to the extent that such a dividend, split or distribution results in an adjustment in the Warrant Price pursuant to the other provisions of this Warrant).

(m) **“Fundamental Transaction”** means that the Company shall, directly or indirectly, in one or more related transactions, (i) consolidate or merge with or into (whether or not the Company is the surviving corporation) another Person (but excluding a migratory merger effected solely for the purpose of changing the jurisdiction of incorporation of the Company), or (ii) sell, assign, transfer, convey or otherwise dispose of all or substantially all of the properties or assets of the Company to another Person, or (iii) allow another Person to make a purchase, tender or exchange offer that is accepted by the holders of more than the 50% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock (not including any shares of Common Stock held by the Person or Persons making or party to, or associated or affiliated with the Persons making or party to, such purchase, tender or exchange offer), or (iv) consummate a stock purchase agreement or other business combination (including, without limitation, a reorganization, recapitalization, spin-off or scheme of arrangement) with another Person whereby such other Person acquires more than 50% of the outstanding shares of Common Stock (not including any shares of Common Stock held by the other Person or other Persons making or party to, or associated or affiliated with the other Persons making or party to, such stock purchase agreement or other business combination), (v) reorganize, recapitalize or reclassify its Common Stock, or (vi) any “person” or “group” (as these terms are used for purposes of Sections 13(d) and 14(d) of the Exchange Act) is or shall become the “beneficial owner” (as defined in Rule 13d-3 under the Exchange Act), directly or indirectly, of 50% of the aggregate ordinary voting power represented by issued and outstanding Common Stock.

(n) **“Insider Notes”** means the Company’s outstanding Demand Promissory Notes due to Ronald P. Erickson and/or his Affiliates.

(o) **“Note Exchange”** means the exchange and cancellation by Ronald P. Erickson and/or his Affiliates of \$500,000 of outstanding principal, accrued interest and other amounts due and owing Ronald P. Erickson and/or his Affiliates on the Insider Notes into an aggregate of not more than 5,000,000 shares of Common Stock (the **“Exchange Shares”**).

(p) **“Options”** means any rights, warrants or options to subscribe for or purchase shares of Common Stock or Convertible Securities.

(q) **“Option Value”** means the value of an Option based on the Black and Scholes Option Pricing model obtained from the “OV” function on Bloomberg determined as of the day prior to the public announcement of the applicable Option for pricing purposes and reflecting (i) a risk-free interest rate corresponding to the U.S. Treasury rate for a period equal to the remaining term of the applicable Option as of the applicable date of determination, (ii) an expected volatility equal to the greater of (a) 100% and (b) the 100 day volatility obtained from the HVT function on Bloomberg as of the day immediately following the public announcement of the issuance of the applicable Option, (iii) the underlying price per share used in such calculation shall be the highest Weighted Average Price of the Common Stock during the period beginning on the day prior to the execution of definitive documentation relating to the issuance of the applicable Option and the public announcement of such issuance and (iv) a 360 day annualization factor.

(r) **“Parent Entity”** of a Person means an entity that, directly or indirectly, controls the applicable Person and whose common stock or equivalent equity security is quoted or listed on an Eligible Market, or, if there is more than one such Person or Parent Entity, the Person or Parent Entity with the largest public market capitalization as of the date of consummation of the Fundamental Transaction.

(s) **“Person”** means an individual, a limited liability company, a partnership, a joint venture, a corporation, a trust, an unincorporated organization, any other entity and a government or any department or agency thereof.

(t) **“Principal Market”** means the OTCQB.

(u) **“Registration Rights Agreement”** means the Registration Rights Agreement, in the form of Exhibit C to the Purchase Agreement, entered into by the Company and the original Holders pursuant to the Purchase Agreement.

(v) **“Required Holders”** means, as of any date, the holders of at least a majority of the Warrants outstanding as of such date.

(w) **“Successor Entity”** means the Person (or, if so elected by the Holder, the Parent Entity) formed by, resulting from or surviving any Fundamental Transaction or the Person (or, if so elected by the Holder, the Parent Entity) with which such Fundamental Transaction shall have been entered into.

(x) **“Trading Day”** means any day on which the Common Stock are traded on the Principal Market, or, if the Principal Market is not the principal trading market for the Common Stock, then on the principal securities exchange or securities market on which the Common Stock are then traded; *provided* that “Trading Day” shall not include any day on which the Common Stock are scheduled to trade on such exchange or market for less than 4.5 hours or any day that the Common Stock are suspended from trading during the final hour of trading on such exchange or market (or if such exchange or market does not designate in advance the closing time of trading on such exchange or market, then during the hour ending at 4:00:00 p.m., New York time).

(y) **“Weighted Average Price”** means, for any security as of any date, the dollar volume-weighted average price for such security on the Principal Market during the period beginning at 9:30:01 a.m., New York time (or such other time as the Principal Market publicly announces is the official open of trading), and ending at 4:00:00 p.m., New York time (or such other time as the Principal Market publicly announces is the official close of trading), as reported by Bloomberg through its “Volume at Price” function or, if the foregoing does not apply, the dollar volume-weighted average price of such security in the over-the-counter market on the electronic bulletin board for such security during the period beginning at 9:30:01 a.m., New York time (or such other time as the Principal Market publicly announces is the official open of trading), and ending at 4:00:00 p.m., New York time (or such other time as the Principal Market publicly announces is the official close of trading), as reported by Bloomberg, or, if no dollar volume-weighted average price is reported for such security by Bloomberg for such hours, the average of the highest closing bid price and the lowest closing ask price of any of the market makers for such security as reported in the “pink sheets” by OTC Markets LLC. If the Weighted Average Price cannot be calculated for a security on a particular date on any of the foregoing bases, the Weighted Average Price of such security on such date shall be the fair market value as mutually determined by the Company and the Holder. If the Company and the Holder are unable to agree upon the fair market value of such security, then such dispute shall be resolved pursuant to Section 12 with the term “Weighted Average Price” being substituted for the term “Exercise Price.” All such determinations shall be appropriately adjusted for any stock dividend, stock split, stock combination or other similar transaction during the applicable calculation period.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company has caused this Warrant to Purchase Common Stock to be duly executed as of the Issuance Date set out above.

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED

By: /s/

Name: Ronald P. Erickson

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

**EXERCISE NOTICE
TO BE EXECUTED BY THE REGISTERED HOLDER TO EXERCISE THIS
WARRANT TO PURCHASE COMMON STOCK**

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED

The undersigned holder hereby exercises the right to purchase _____ of the shares of Common Stock (“**Warrant Shares**”) of Visualant, Incorporated, a Nevada corporation (the “**Company**”), evidenced by the attached Warrant to Purchase Common Stock (the “**Warrant**”). Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the respective meanings set forth in the Warrant.

1. Form of Exercise Price. The Holder intends that payment of the Exercise Price shall be made as:

_____ a “Cash Exercise” with respect to _____ Warrant Shares; and/or

_____ a “Cashless Exercise” with respect to _____ Warrant Shares.

2. Payment of Exercise Price. In the event that the holder has elected a Cash Exercise with respect to some or all of the Warrant Shares to be issued pursuant hereto, the holder shall pay the Aggregate Exercise Price in the sum of \$ _____ to the Company in accordance with the terms of the Warrant.

3. Delivery of Warrant Shares. The Company shall deliver to the holder _____ Warrant Shares in accordance with the terms of the Warrant and, after delivery of such Warrant Shares, _____ Warrant Shares remain subject to the Warrant.

Date: _____, _____

Name of Registered Holder

By: _____
Name:
Title:

ASSIGNMENT FORM

VISUALANT, INCORPORATED

(To assign the foregoing Warrant, execute this form and supply required information. Do not use this form to purchase shares.)

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the foregoing Warrant and all rights evidenced thereby are hereby assigned to

Name: _____
(Please Print)

Address: _____
(Please Print)

Dated: _____, _____

Holder's Signature: _____

Holder's Address: _____

NOTE: The signature to this Assignment Form must correspond with the name as it appears on the face of the Warrant, without alteration or enlargement or any change whatever. Officers of corporations and those acting in a fiduciary or other representative capacity should file proper evidence of authority to assign the foregoing Warrant.

FORM OF REGISTRATION RIGHTS AGREEMENT

This Registration Rights Agreement (the “Agreement”) is made and entered into as of this ___th day of _____, 2015 by and among Visualant, Incorporated, a Nevada corporation (the “Company”), and the “Investors” named in that certain Purchase Agreement by and among the Company and the Investors (the “Purchase Agreement”). Capitalized terms used herein have the respective meanings ascribed thereto in the Purchase Agreement unless otherwise defined herein.

The parties hereby agree as follows:

1. Certain Definitions.

As used in this Agreement, the following terms shall have the following meanings:

“Common Stock” means the Company’s common stock, par value \$0.001 per share, and any securities into which such shares may hereinafter be reclassified.

“Investors” means the Investors identified in the Purchase Agreement and any Affiliate or permitted transferee of any Investor who is a subsequent holder of any Warrants or Registrable Securities.

“Prospectus” means (i) the prospectus included in any Registration Statement, as amended or supplemented by any prospectus supplement, with respect to the terms of the offering of any portion of the Registrable Securities covered by such Registration Statement and by all other amendments and supplements to the prospectus, including post-effective amendments and all material incorporated by reference in such prospectus, and (ii) any “free writing prospectus” as defined in Rule 405 under the 1933 Act.

“Register,” “registered” and “registration” refer to a registration made by preparing and filing a Registration Statement or similar document in compliance with the 1933 Act (as defined below), and the declaration or ordering of effectiveness of such Registration Statement or document.

“Registrable Securities” means (i) the Conversion Shares, (ii) the Warrant Shares and (iii) any other securities issued or issuable with respect to or in exchange for any Registrable Securities, whether by merger, charter amendment or otherwise; provided, that, a security shall cease to be an Registrable Security upon (A) sale pursuant to a Registration Statement or Rule 144 under the 1933 Act, or (B) such security becoming eligible for sale without restriction by the Investors pursuant to Rule 144.

“Registration Statement” means any registration statement of the Company filed under the 1933 Act that covers the resale of any of the Registrable Securities pursuant to the provisions of this Agreement, amendments and supplements to such Registration Statement, including post-effective amendments, all exhibits and all material incorporated by reference in such Registration Statement.

“Required Investors” means the Investors holding a majority of the Registrable Securities.

“SEC” means the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission.

“1933 Act” means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

“1934 Act” means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

2. Registration.

(a) Registration Statements.

(i) Initial Registration Statement. Promptly following the closing of the purchase and sale of the securities contemplated by the Purchase Agreement (the “Closing Date”) but no later than thirty (30) days after the Closing Date (the “Filing Deadline”), the Company shall prepare and file with the SEC one Registration Statement on Form S-1, covering the resale or other disposition of the Registrable Securities. Subject to any SEC comments, such Registration Statement shall include the plan of distribution attached hereto as Exhibit A; provided, however, that no Investor shall be named as an “underwriter” in the Registration Statement without the Investor’s prior written consent. Such Registration Statement also shall cover pursuant to Rule 416 such indeterminate number of additional shares of Common Stock due to an increase in the number of Warrant Shares resulting from changes in the Exercise Price pursuant to the terms of the Warrants. Such Registration Statement shall not include any shares of Common Stock or other securities for the account of any other holder without the prior written consent of the Required Investors. The Registration Statement (and each amendment or supplement thereto, and each request for acceleration of effectiveness thereof) shall be provided in accordance with Section 3(c) to the Investors and their counsel prior to its filing or other submission. If a Registration Statement covering the Registrable Securities is not filed with the SEC on or prior to the Filing Deadline, the Company will make pro rata payments to each Investor, as liquidated damages and not as a penalty, in an amount equal to 1.5% of the aggregate amount invested by such Investor pursuant to the Purchase Agreement for each 30-day period or pro rata for any portion thereof following the Filing Deadline for which no Registration Statement is filed with respect to the Registrable Securities. Such payments shall constitute the Investors’ exclusive monetary remedy for such events, but shall not affect the right of the Investors to seek injunctive relief. Such payments shall be made to each Investor in cash no later than three (3) Business Days after the end of each 30-day period.

(ii) S-3 Qualification. Promptly following the date (the “Qualification Date”) upon which the Company becomes eligible to use a registration statement on Form S-3 to register the Registrable Securities for resale or other disposition by the Investors, but in no event more than thirty (30) days after the Qualification Date (the “Qualification Deadline”), the Company shall file a registration statement on Form S-3 covering the Registrable Securities (or a post-effective amendment on Form S-3 to the registration statement on Form S-1) (a “Shelf Registration Statement”) and shall use commercially reasonable efforts to cause such Shelf Registration Statement to be declared effective as promptly as practicable thereafter. If a Shelf Registration Statement covering the Registrable Securities is not filed with the SEC on or prior to the Qualification Deadline, the Company will make pro rata payments to each Investor, as liquidated damages and not as a penalty, in an amount equal to 1.5% of the aggregate amount invested by such Investor pursuant to the Purchase Agreement attributable to those Registrable Securities that remain unsold at that time for each 30-day period or pro rata for any portion thereof following the date by which such Shelf Registration Statement should have been filed for which no such Shelf Registration Statement is filed with respect to the Registrable Securities. Such payments shall constitute the Investors’ exclusive monetary remedy for such events, but shall not affect the right of the Investors to seek injunctive relief. Such payments shall be made to each Investor in cash no later than three (3) Business Days after the end of each 30-day period.

(b) Expenses. The Company will pay all expenses associated with effecting the registration of the Registrable Securities, including filing and printing fees, the Company’s counsel and accounting fees and expenses, costs associated with clearing the Registrable Securities for sale under applicable state securities laws, listing fees, and fees and expenses of one counsel to the SSF Investors up to an aggregate cap of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000), and the Investors’ reasonable expenses in connection with the registration, but excluding discounts, commissions, fees of underwriters, selling brokers, dealer managers or similar securities industry professionals with respect to the Registrable Securities being sold.

(c) Effectiveness.

(i) The Company shall use commercially reasonable efforts to have each Registration Statement declared effective as soon as practicable. The Company shall notify the Investors by facsimile or e-mail as promptly as practicable, and in any event, within twenty-four (24) hours, after any Registration Statement is declared effective and shall simultaneously provide the Investors with copies of any related Prospectus to be used in connection with the sale or other disposition of the securities covered thereby. If (A)(x) a Registration Statement covering the Registrable Securities is not declared effective by the SEC prior to the earlier of (i) five (5) Business Days after the SEC shall have informed the Company that no review of such Registration Statement will be made or that the SEC has no further comments on the Registration Statement or (ii) the 90th day after the Closing Date (the 120th day if the SEC reviews such Registration Statement), or (y) a Shelf Registration Statement is not declared effective by the SEC prior to the earlier of (i) five (5) Business Days after the SEC shall have informed the Company that no review of the Registration Statement will be made or that the SEC has no further comments on the Registration Statement or (ii) the 90th day after the Qualification Deadline (the 120th day if the SEC reviews such Registration Statement), or (B) after a Registration Statement has been declared effective by the SEC, sales cannot be made pursuant to such Registration Statement for any reason (including without limitation by reason of a stop order, or the Company’s failure to update the Registration Statement), but excluding any Allowed Delay (as defined below) or the inability of any Investor to sell the Registrable Securities covered thereby due to market conditions, then the Company will make pro rata payments to each Investor, as liquidated damages and not as a penalty, in an amount equal to 1.5% of the aggregate amount invested by such Investor pursuant to the Purchase Agreement for each 30-day period or pro rata for any portion thereof following the date by which such Registration Statement should have been effective (the “Blackout Period”). Such payments shall constitute the Investors’ exclusive monetary remedy for such events, but shall not affect the right of the Investors to seek injunctive relief. The amounts payable as liquidated damages pursuant to this paragraph shall be paid monthly within three (3) Business Days of the last day of each month following the commencement of the Blackout Period until the termination of the Blackout Period. Such payments shall be made to each Investor in cash.

(ii) For not more than twenty (20) consecutive days or for a total of not more than forty-five (45) days in any twelve (12) month period, the Company may suspend the use of any Prospectus included in any Registration Statement contemplated by this Section in the event that the Company determines in good faith that such suspension is necessary to (A) delay the disclosure of material non-public information concerning the Company, the disclosure of which at the time is not, in the good faith opinion of the Company, in the best interests of the Company or (B) amend or supplement the affected Registration Statement or the related Prospectus so that such Registration Statement or Prospectus shall not include an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein, in the case of the Prospectus in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading (an “Allowed Delay”); provided, that the Company shall promptly (a) notify each Investor in writing of the commencement of an Allowed Delay, but shall not (without the prior written consent of an Investor) disclose to such Investor any material non-public information giving rise to an Allowed Delay, (b) advise the Investors in writing to cease all sales under the Registration Statement until the end of the Allowed Delay and (c) use commercially reasonable efforts to terminate an Allowed Delay as promptly as practicable.

(d) Rule 415: Cutback If at any time the SEC takes the position that the offering of some or all of the Registrable Securities in a Registration Statement is not eligible to be made on a delayed or continuous basis under the provisions of Rule 415 under the 1933 Act or requires any Investor to be named as an “underwriter”, the Company shall use its best efforts to persuade the SEC that the offering contemplated by the Registration Statement is a valid secondary offering and not an offering “by or on behalf of the issuer” as defined in Rule 415 and that none of the Investors is an “underwriter”. The Investors shall have the right to participate or have their counsel participate in any meetings or discussions with the SEC regarding the SEC’s position and to comment or have their counsel comment on any written submission made to the SEC with respect thereto. No such written submission shall be made to the SEC to which the Investors’ counsel reasonably objects. In the event that, despite the Company’s best efforts and compliance with the terms of this Section 2(d), the SEC refuses to alter its position, the Company shall (i) remove from the Registration Statement such portion of the Registrable Securities (the “Cut Back Shares”) and/or (ii) agree to such restrictions and limitations on the registration and resale of the Registrable Securities as the SEC may require to assure the Company’s compliance with the requirements of Rule 415 (collectively, the “SEC Restrictions”); provided, however, that the Company shall not agree to name any Investor as an “underwriter” in such Registration Statement without the prior written consent of such Investor. Any cut-back imposed on the Investors pursuant to this Section 2(d) shall be allocated among the Investors on a pro rata basis and shall be applied first to any Warrant Shares, unless the SEC Restrictions otherwise require or provide or the Investors otherwise agree. No liquidated damages shall accrue as to any Cut Back Shares until such date as the Company is able to effect the registration of such Cut Back Shares in accordance with any SEC Restrictions (such date, the “Restriction Termination Date” of such Cut Back Shares). From and after the Restriction Termination Date applicable to any Cut Back Shares, all of the provisions of this Section 2 (including the liquidated damages provisions) shall again be applicable to such Cut Back Shares; provided, however, that (i) the date by which the Company is required to file the Registration Statement including such Cut Back Shares (including any Qualification Deadline) shall be ten (10) Business Days after such Restriction Termination Date, and (ii) the date by which the Company is required to obtain effectiveness with respect to such Cut Back Shares under Section 2(c) shall be the 90th day immediately after the Restriction Termination Date.

(c) Right to Piggyback Registration.

(i) If at any time following the date of this Agreement that any Registrable Securities remain outstanding (A) there is not one or more effective Registration Statements covering all of the Registrable Securities and (B) the Company proposes for any reason to register any shares of Common Stock under the 1933 Act (other than pursuant to a registration statement on Form S-4 or Form S-8 (or a similar or successor form)) with respect to an offering of Common Stock by the Company for its own account or for the account of any of its stockholders, it shall at each such time promptly give written notice to the holders of the Registrable Securities of its intention to do so (but in no event less than thirty (30) days before the anticipated filing date) and, to the extent permitted under the provisions of Rule 415 under the 1933 Act, include in such registration all Registrable Securities with respect to which the Company has received written requests for inclusion therein within fifteen (15) days after receipt of the Company's notice (a "Piggyback Registration"). Such notice shall offer the holders of the Registrable Securities the opportunity to register such number of shares of Registrable Securities as each such holder may request and shall indicate the intended method of distribution of such Registrable Securities.

(ii) Notwithstanding the foregoing, (A) if such registration involves an underwritten public offering, the Investors must sell their Registrable Securities to, if applicable, the underwriter(s) at the same price and subject to the same underwriting discounts and commissions that apply to the other securities sold in such offering (it being acknowledged that the Company shall be responsible for other expenses as set forth in Section 2(b)) and subject to the Investors entering into customary underwriting documentation for selling stockholders in an underwritten public offering, and (B) if, at any time after giving written notice of its intention to register any Registrable Securities pursuant to Section 2(e)(i) and prior to the effective date of the registration statement filed in connection with such registration, the Company shall determine for any reason not to cause such registration statement to become effective under the 1933 Act, the Company shall deliver written notice to the Investors and, thereupon, shall be relieved of its obligation to register any Registrable Securities in connection with such registration; provided, however, that nothing contained in this Section 2(e)(ii) shall limit the Company's liabilities and/or obligations under this Agreement, including, without limitation, the obligation to pay liquidated damages under this Section 2.

3. Company Obligations. The Company will use commercially reasonable efforts to effect the registration of the Registrable Securities in accordance with the terms hereof, and pursuant thereto the Company will, as expeditiously as possible:

(a) use commercially reasonable efforts to cause such Registration Statement to become effective and to remain continuously effective for a period that will terminate upon the earlier of (i) the date on which all Registrable Securities covered by such Registration Statement as amended from time to time, have been sold, and (ii) the date on which all Registrable Securities covered by such Registration Statement may be sold without restriction pursuant to Rule 144 (the "Effectiveness Period") and advise the Investors in writing when the Effectiveness Period has expired;

(b) prepare and file with the SEC such amendments and post-effective amendments to the Registration Statement and the Prospectus as may be necessary to keep the Registration Statement effective for the Effectiveness Period and to comply with the provisions of the 1933 Act and the 1934 Act with respect to the distribution of all of the Registrable Securities covered thereby;

(c) provide copies to and permit counsel designated by the Investors to review each Registration Statement and all amendments and supplements thereto no fewer than seven (7) days prior to their filing with the SEC and not file any document to which such counsel reasonably objects;

(d) furnish to the Investors and their legal counsel (i) promptly after the same is prepared and publicly distributed, filed with the SEC, or received by the Company (but not later than two (2) Business Days after the filing date, receipt date or sending date, as the case may be) one (1) copy of any Registration Statement and any amendment thereto, each preliminary prospectus and Prospectus and each amendment or supplement thereto, and each letter written by or on behalf of the Company to the SEC or the staff of the SEC, and each item of correspondence from the SEC or the staff of the SEC, in each case relating to such Registration Statement (other than any portion of any thereof which contains information for which the Company has sought confidential treatment), and (ii) such number of copies of a Prospectus, including a preliminary prospectus, and all amendments and supplements thereto and such other documents as each Investor may reasonably request in order to facilitate the disposition of the Registrable Securities owned by such Investor that are covered by the related Registration Statement;

(e) use commercially reasonable efforts to (i) prevent the issuance of any stop order or other suspension of effectiveness and, (ii) if such order is issued, obtain the withdrawal of any such order at the earliest possible moment;

(f) prior to any public offering of Registrable Securities, use commercially reasonable efforts to register or qualify or cooperate with the Investors and their counsel in connection with the registration or qualification of such Registrable Securities for offer and sale under the securities or blue sky laws of such jurisdictions requested by the Investors and do any and all other commercially reasonable acts or things necessary or advisable to enable the distribution in such jurisdictions of the Registrable Securities covered by the Registration Statement; provided, however, that the Company shall not be required in connection therewith or as a condition thereto to (i) qualify to do business in any jurisdiction where it would not otherwise be required to qualify but for this Section 3(f), (ii) subject itself to general taxation in any jurisdiction where it would not otherwise be so subject but for this Section 3(f), or (iii) file a general consent to service of process in any such jurisdiction;

(g) use commercially reasonable efforts to cause all Registrable Securities covered by a Registration Statement to be listed on each securities exchange, interdealer quotation system or other market on which similar securities issued by the Company are then listed;

(h) immediately notify the Investors, at any time prior to the end of the Effectiveness Period, upon discovery that, or upon the happening of any event as a result of which, the Prospectus includes an untrue statement of a material fact or omits to state any material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading in light of the circumstances then existing, and promptly prepare, file with the SEC and furnish to such holder a supplement to or an amendment of such Prospectus as may be necessary so that such Prospectus shall not include an untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading in light of the circumstances then existing;

(i) otherwise use commercially reasonable efforts to comply with all applicable rules and regulations of the SEC under the 1933 Act and the 1934 Act, including, without limitation, Rule 172 under the 1933 Act, file any final Prospectus, including any supplement or amendment thereof, with the SEC pursuant to Rule 424 under the 1933 Act, promptly inform the Investors in writing if, at any time during the Effectiveness Period, the Company does not satisfy the conditions specified in Rule 172 and, as a result thereof, the Investors are required to deliver a Prospectus in connection with any disposition of Registrable Securities and take such other actions as may be reasonably necessary to facilitate the registration of the Registrable Securities hereunder; and make available to its security holders, as soon as reasonably practicable, but not later than the Availability Date (as defined below), an earnings statement covering a period of at least twelve (12) months, beginning after the effective date of each Registration Statement, which earnings statement shall satisfy the provisions of Section 11(a) of the 1933 Act, including Rule 158 promulgated thereunder (for the purpose of this subsection 3(i), "Availability Date" means the 45th day following the end of the fourth fiscal quarter that includes the effective date of such Registration Statement, except that, if such fourth fiscal quarter is the last quarter of the Company's fiscal year, "Availability Date" means the 90th day after the end of such fourth fiscal quarter); and

(j) With a view to making available to the Investors the benefits of Rule 144 (or its successor rule) and any other rule or regulation of the SEC that may at any time permit the Investors to sell shares of Common Stock to the public without registration, the Company covenants and agrees to: (i) make and keep public information available, as those terms are understood and defined in Rule 144, until the earlier of (A) six months after such date as all of the Registrable Securities may be sold without restriction by the holders thereof pursuant to Rule 144 or any other rule of similar effect or (B) such date as all of the Registrable Securities shall have been resold; (ii) file with the SEC in a timely manner all reports and other documents required of the Company under the 1934 Act; and (iii) furnish to each Investor upon request, as long as such Investor owns any Registrable Securities, (A) a written statement by the Company that it has complied with the reporting requirements of the 1934 Act, (B) a copy of the Company's most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K or Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, and (C) such other information as may be reasonably requested in order to avail such Investor of any rule or regulation of the SEC that permits the selling of any such Registrable Securities without registration.

4. Due Diligence Review; Information. The Company shall make available, during normal business hours, for inspection and review by the Investors, advisors to and representatives of the Investors (who may or may not be affiliated with the Investors and who are reasonably acceptable to the Company), all financial and other records, all SEC Filings (as defined in the Purchase Agreement) and other filings with the SEC, and all other corporate documents and properties of the Company as may be reasonably necessary for the purpose of such review, and cause the Company's officers, directors and employees, within a reasonable time period, to supply all such information reasonably requested by the Investors or any such representative, advisor or underwriter in connection with such Registration Statement (including, without limitation, in response to all questions and other inquiries reasonably made or submitted by any of them), prior to and from time to time after the filing and effectiveness of the Registration Statement for the sole purpose of enabling the Investors and such representatives, advisors and underwriters and their respective accountants and attorneys to conduct initial and ongoing due diligence with respect to the Company and the accuracy of such Registration Statement.

The Company shall not disclose material nonpublic information to the Investors, or to advisors to or representatives of the Investors, unless prior to disclosure of such information the Company identifies such information as being material nonpublic information and provides the Investors, such advisors and representatives with the opportunity to accept or refuse to accept such material nonpublic information for review and any Investor wishing to obtain such information enters into an appropriate confidentiality agreement with the Company with respect thereto.

5. Obligations of the Investors.

(a) Each Investor shall furnish in writing to the Company such information regarding itself, the Registrable Securities held by it and the intended method of disposition of the Registrable Securities held by it, as shall be reasonably required to effect the registration of such Registrable Securities and shall execute such documents in connection with such registration as the Company may reasonably request. At least five (5) Business Days prior to the first anticipated filing date of any Registration Statement, the Company shall notify each Investor of the information the Company requires from such Investor if such Investor elects to have any of the Registrable Securities included in the Registration Statement. An Investor shall provide such information to the Company at least two (2) Business Days prior to the first anticipated filing date of such Registration Statement if such Investor elects to have any of the Registrable Securities included in the Registration Statement.

(b) Each Investor, by its acceptance of the Registrable Securities agrees to cooperate with the Company as reasonably requested by the Company in connection with the preparation and filing of a Registration Statement hereunder, unless such Investor has notified the Company in writing of its election to exclude all of its Registrable Securities from such Registration Statement.

(c) Each Investor agrees that, upon receipt of any notice from the Company of either (i) the commencement of an Allowed Delay pursuant to Section 2(c) (ii) or (ii) the happening of an event pursuant to Section 3(h) hereof, such Investor will immediately discontinue disposition of Registrable Securities pursuant to the Registration Statement covering such Registrable Securities, until the Investor is advised by the Company that such dispositions may again be made.

6. Indemnification.

(a) Indemnification by the Company. The Company will indemnify and hold harmless each Investor and its officers, directors, members, employees and agents, successors and assigns, and each other person, if any, who controls such Investor within the meaning of the 1933 Act, against any losses, claims, damages or liabilities, joint or several, to which they may become subject under the 1933 Act or otherwise, insofar as such losses, claims, damages or liabilities (or actions in respect thereof) arise out of or are based upon: (i) any untrue statement or alleged untrue statement or omission or alleged omission of any material fact contained in any Registration Statement, any preliminary Prospectus or final Prospectus, or any amendment or supplement thereof; (ii) any blue sky application or other document executed by the Company specifically for that purpose or based upon written information furnished by the Company filed in any state or other jurisdiction in order to qualify any or all of the Registrable Securities under the securities laws thereof (any such application, document or information herein called a “Blue Sky Application”); (iii) the omission or alleged omission to state in a Blue Sky Application a material fact required to be stated therein or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading; (iv) any violation by the Company or its agents of any rule or regulation promulgated under the 1933 Act applicable to the Company or its agents and relating to action or inaction required of the Company in connection with such registration; or (v) any failure to register or qualify the Registrable Securities included in any such Registration Statement in any state where the Company or its agents has affirmatively undertaken or agreed in writing that the Company will undertake such registration or qualification on an Investor’s behalf and will reimburse such Investor, and each such officer, director or member and each such controlling person for any legal or other expenses reasonably incurred by them in connection with investigating or defending any such loss, claim, damage, liability or action; provided, however, that the Company will not be liable in any such case if and to the extent that any such loss, claim, damage or liability arises out of or is based upon an untrue statement or alleged untrue statement or omission or alleged omission so made in conformity with information furnished by such Investor or any such controlling person in writing specifically for use in such Registration Statement or Prospectus.

(b) Indemnification by the Investors. Each Investor agrees, severally but not jointly, to indemnify and hold harmless, to the fullest extent permitted by law, the Company, its directors, officers, employees, stockholders and each person who controls the Company (within the meaning of the 1933 Act) against any losses, claims, damages, liabilities and expense (including reasonable attorney fees) resulting from any untrue statement of a material fact or any omission of a material fact required to be stated in the Registration Statement or Prospectus or preliminary Prospectus or amendment or supplement thereto or necessary to make the statements therein not misleading, to the extent, but only to the extent that such untrue statement or omission is contained in any information furnished in writing by such Investor to the Company specifically for inclusion in such Registration Statement or Prospectus or amendment or supplement thereto. In no event shall the liability of an Investor be greater in amount than the dollar amount of the proceeds (net of all expenses paid by such Investor in connection with any claim relating to this Section 6 and the amount of any damages such Investor has otherwise been required to pay by reason of such untrue statement or omission) received by such Investor upon the sale of the Registrable Securities included in the Registration Statement giving rise to such indemnification obligation.

(c) Conduct of Indemnification Proceedings. Any person entitled to indemnification hereunder shall (i) give prompt notice to the indemnifying party of any claim with respect to which it seeks indemnification and (ii) permit such indemnifying party to assume the defense of such claim with counsel reasonably satisfactory to the indemnified party; provided that any person entitled to indemnification hereunder shall have the right to employ separate counsel and to participate in the defense of such claim, but the fees and expenses of such counsel shall be at the expense of such person unless (a) the indemnifying party has agreed to pay such fees or expenses, or (b) the indemnifying party shall have failed to assume the defense of such claim and employ counsel reasonably satisfactory to such person or (c) in the reasonable judgment of any such person, based upon written advice of its counsel, a conflict of interest exists between such person and the indemnifying party with respect to such claims (in which case, if the person notifies the indemnifying party in writing that such person elects to employ separate counsel at the expense of the indemnifying party, the indemnifying party shall not have the right to assume the defense of such claim on behalf of such person); and provided, further, that the failure of any indemnified party to give notice as provided herein shall not relieve the indemnifying party of its obligations hereunder, except to the extent that such failure to give notice shall materially adversely affect the indemnifying party in the defense of any such claim or litigation. It is understood that the indemnifying party shall not, in connection with any proceeding in the same jurisdiction, be liable for fees or expenses of more than one separate firm of attorneys at any time for all such indemnified parties. No indemnifying party will, except with the consent of the indemnified party, consent to entry of any judgment or enter into any settlement that does not include as an unconditional term thereof the giving by the claimant or plaintiff to such indemnified party of a release from all liability in respect of such claim or litigation.

(d) Contribution. If for any reason the indemnification provided for in the preceding paragraphs (a) and (b) is unavailable to an indemnified party or insufficient to hold it harmless, other than as expressly specified therein, then the indemnifying party shall contribute to the amount paid or payable by the indemnified party as a result of such loss, claim, damage or liability in such proportion as is appropriate to reflect the relative fault of the indemnified party and the indemnifying party, as well as any other relevant equitable considerations. No person guilty of fraudulent misrepresentation within the meaning of Section 11(f) of the 1933 Act shall be entitled to contribution from any person not guilty of such fraudulent misrepresentation. In no event shall the contribution obligation of a holder of Registrable Securities be greater in amount than the dollar amount of the proceeds (net of all expenses paid by such holder in connection with any claim relating to this Section 6 and the amount of any damages such holder has otherwise been required to pay by reason of such untrue or alleged untrue statement or omission or alleged omission) received by it upon the sale of the Registrable Securities giving rise to such contribution obligation.

7. Miscellaneous.

(a) Amendments and Waivers. This Agreement may be amended only by a writing signed by the Company and the Required Investors. The Company may take any action herein prohibited, or omit to perform any act herein required to be performed by it, only if the Company shall have obtained the written consent to such amendment, action or omission to act, of the Required Investors.

(b) Notices. All notices and other communications provided for or permitted hereunder shall be made as set forth in Section 9.4 of the Purchase Agreement.

(c) Assignments and Transfers by Investors. The provisions of this Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the Investors and their respective successors and assigns. An Investor may transfer or assign, in whole or from time to time in part, to one or more persons its rights hereunder in connection with the transfer of Registrable Securities by such Investor to such person, provided that such Investor complies with all laws applicable thereto and provides written notice of assignment to the Company promptly after such assignment is effected.

(d) Assignments and Transfers by the Company. This Agreement may not be assigned by the Company (whether by operation of law or otherwise) without the prior written consent of the Required Investors, provided, however, that in the event that the Company is a party to a merger, consolidation, share exchange or similar business combination transaction in which the Common Stock is converted into the equity securities of another Person, from and after the effective time of such transaction, such Person shall, by virtue of such transaction, be deemed to have assumed the obligations of the Company hereunder, the term "Company" shall be deemed to refer to such Person and the term "Registrable Securities" shall be deemed to include the securities received by the Investors in connection with such transaction unless such securities are otherwise freely tradable by the Investors after giving effect to such transaction.

(e) Benefits of the Agreement. The terms and conditions of this Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the respective permitted successors and assigns of the parties. Nothing in this Agreement, express or implied, is intended to confer upon any party other than the parties hereto or their respective successors and assigns any rights, remedies, obligations, or liabilities under or by reason of this Agreement, except as expressly provided in this Agreement.

(f) Counterparts; Faxes. This Agreement may be executed in two or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. This Agreement may also be executed via facsimile, which shall be deemed an original.

(g) Titles and Subtitles. The titles and subtitles used in this Agreement are used for convenience only and are not to be considered in construing or interpreting this Agreement.

(h) Severability. Any provision of this Agreement that is prohibited or unenforceable in any jurisdiction shall, as to such jurisdiction, be ineffective to the extent of such prohibition or unenforceability without invalidating the remaining provisions hereof but shall be interpreted as if it were written so as to be enforceable to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law, and any such prohibition or unenforceability in any jurisdiction shall not invalidate or render unenforceable such provision in any other jurisdiction. To the extent permitted by applicable law, the parties hereby waive any provision of law which renders any provisions hereof prohibited or unenforceable in any respect.

(i) Further Assurances. The parties shall execute and deliver all such further instruments and documents and take all such other actions as may reasonably be required to carry out the transactions contemplated hereby and to evidence the fulfillment of the agreements herein contained.

(j) Entire Agreement. This Agreement is intended by the parties as a final expression of their agreement and intended to be a complete and exclusive statement of the agreement and understanding of the parties hereto in respect of the subject matter contained herein. This Agreement supersedes all prior agreements and understandings between the parties with respect to such subject matter.

(k) Governing Law; Consent to Jurisdiction; Waiver of Jury Trial. This Agreement shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the internal laws of the State of New York without regard to the choice of law principles thereof. Each of the parties hereto irrevocably submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the State of New York located in New York County and the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York for the purpose of any suit, action, proceeding or judgment relating to or arising out of this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby. Service of process in connection with any such suit, action or proceeding may be served on each party hereto anywhere in the world by the same methods as are specified for the giving of notices under this Agreement. Each of the parties hereto irrevocably consents to the jurisdiction of any such court in any such suit, action or proceeding and to the laying of venue in such court. Each party hereto irrevocably waives any objection to the laying of venue of any such suit, action or proceeding brought in such courts and irrevocably waives any claim that any such suit, action or proceeding brought in any such court has been brought in an inconvenient forum. **EACH OF THE PARTIES HERETO WAIVES ANY RIGHT TO REQUEST A TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY LITIGATION WITH RESPECT TO THIS AGREEMENT AND REPRESENTS THAT COUNSEL HAS BEEN CONSULTED SPECIFICALLY AS TO THIS WAIVER.**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement or caused their duly authorized officers to execute this Agreement as of the date first above written.

The Company:

VISUALANT, INC.

By:

Name: Ronald P. Erickson

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

The Investors:

By: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Plan of Distribution

The selling stockholders, which as used herein includes donees, pledgees, transferees or other successors-in-interest selling shares of common stock or interests in shares of common stock received after the date of this prospectus from a selling stockholder as a gift, pledge, partnership distribution or other transfer, may, from time to time, sell, transfer or otherwise dispose of any or all of their shares of common stock or interests in shares of common stock on any stock exchange, market or trading facility on which the shares are traded or in private transactions. These dispositions may be at fixed prices, at prevailing market prices at the time of sale, at prices related to the prevailing market price, at varying prices determined at the time of sale, or at negotiated prices.

The selling stockholders may use any one or more of the following methods when disposing of shares or interests therein:

- ordinary brokerage transactions and transactions in which the broker-dealer solicits purchasers;
- block trades in which the broker-dealer will attempt to sell the shares as agent, but may position and resell a portion of the block as principal to facilitate the transaction;
- purchases by a broker-dealer as principal and resale by the broker-dealer for its account;
- an exchange distribution in accordance with the rules of the applicable exchange;
- privately negotiated transactions;
- short sales effected after the date the registration statement of which this Prospectus is a part is declared effective by the SEC;
- through the writing or settlement of options or other hedging transactions, whether through an options exchange or otherwise;
- broker-dealers may agree with the selling stockholders to sell a specified number of such shares at a stipulated price per share;
- a combination of any such methods of sale; and
- any other method permitted by applicable law.

The selling stockholders may, from time to time, pledge or grant a security interest in some or all of the shares of common stock owned by them and, if they default in the performance of their secured obligations, the pledgees or secured parties may offer and sell the shares of common stock, from time to time, under this prospectus, or under an amendment to this prospectus under Rule 424(b)(3) or other applicable provision of the Securities Act amending the list of selling stockholders to include the pledgee, transferee or other successors in interest as selling stockholders under this prospectus. The selling stockholders also may transfer the shares of common stock in other circumstances, in which case the transferees, pledgees or other successors in interest will be the selling beneficial owners for purposes of this prospectus.

In connection with the sale of our common stock or interests therein, the selling stockholders may enter into hedging transactions with broker-dealers or other financial institutions, which may in turn engage in short sales of the common stock in the course of hedging the positions they assume. The selling stockholders may also sell shares of our common stock short and deliver these securities to close out their short positions, or loan or pledge the common stock to broker-dealers that in turn may sell these securities. The selling stockholders may also enter into option or other transactions with broker-dealers or other financial institutions or the creation of one or more derivative securities which require the delivery to such broker-dealer or other financial institution of shares offered by this prospectus, which shares such broker-dealer or other financial institution may resell pursuant to this prospectus (as supplemented or amended to reflect such transaction).

The aggregate proceeds to the selling stockholders from the sale of the common stock offered by them will be the purchase price of the common stock less discounts or commissions, if any. Each of the selling stockholders reserves the right to accept and, together with their agents from time to time, to reject, in whole or in part, any proposed purchase of common stock to be made directly or through agents. We will not receive any of the proceeds from this offering. Upon any exercise of the warrants by payment of cash, however, we will receive the exercise price of the warrants.

The selling stockholders also may resell all or a portion of the shares in open market transactions in reliance upon Rule 144 under the Securities Act of 1933, provided that they meet the criteria and conform to the requirements of that rule.

The selling stockholders and any underwriters, broker-dealers or agents that participate in the sale of the common stock or interests therein may be "underwriters" within the meaning of Section 2(11) of the Securities Act. Any discounts, commissions, concessions or profit they earn on any resale of the shares may be underwriting discounts and commissions under the Securities Act. Selling stockholders who are "underwriters" within the meaning of Section 2(11) of the Securities Act will be subject to the prospectus delivery requirements of the Securities Act.

To the extent required, the shares of our common stock to be sold, the names of the selling stockholders, the respective purchase prices and public offering prices, the names of any agents, dealer or underwriter, any applicable commissions or discounts with respect to a particular offer will be set forth in an accompanying prospectus supplement or, if appropriate, a post-effective amendment to the registration statement that includes this prospectus.

In order to comply with the securities laws of some states, if applicable, the common stock may be sold in these jurisdictions only through registered or licensed brokers or dealers. In addition, in some states the common stock may not be sold unless it has been registered or qualified for sale or an exemption from registration or qualification requirements is available and is complied with.

We have advised the selling stockholders that the anti-manipulation rules of Regulation M under the Exchange Act may apply to sales of shares in the market and to the activities of the selling stockholders and their affiliates. In addition, to the extent applicable we will make copies of this prospectus (as it may be supplemented or amended from time to time) available to the selling stockholders for the purpose of satisfying the prospectus delivery requirements of the Securities Act. The selling stockholders may indemnify any broker-dealer that participates in transactions involving the sale of the shares against certain liabilities, including liabilities arising under the Securities Act.

We have agreed to indemnify the selling stockholders against liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act and state securities laws, relating to the registration of the shares offered by this prospectus.

We have agreed with the selling stockholders to keep the registration statement of which this prospectus constitutes a part effective until the earlier of (1) such time as all of the shares covered by this prospectus have been disposed of pursuant to and in accordance with the registration statement or (2) the date on which all of the shares may be sold without restriction pursuant to Rule 144 of the Securities Act.

CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

We consent to the use in this Registration Statement on Form S-1 of Visualant, Inc., of our report dated January 13, 2015 to the consolidated financial statements of Visualant, Inc. as of September 30, 2014 and 2013, and the related statements of operations, stockholders' deficit, and cash flows for years September 30, 2014 and 2013. We also consent to the reference to our firm under the heading "Experts" in this Registration Statement.

/s/ PMB Helin Donovan, LLP
Seattle, Washington

April 24, 2015

Consent of Director Nominee

Visualant, Incorporated (the “Company”) is filing a Registration Statement on Form S-1 with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “Securities Act”), in connection with the public offering of shares of common stock of the Company. In connection therewith, I hereby consent, pursuant to Rule 438 of the Securities Act, to being named as a nominee to the board of directors of the Company in the Registration Statement, as may be amended from time to time. I also consent to the filing of this consent as an exhibit to such Registration Statement and any amendments thereto.

/s/ Donald Schlosser

Name: Donald Schlosser

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/s/ Timothy Londergan

Name: Timothy Londergan, PhD